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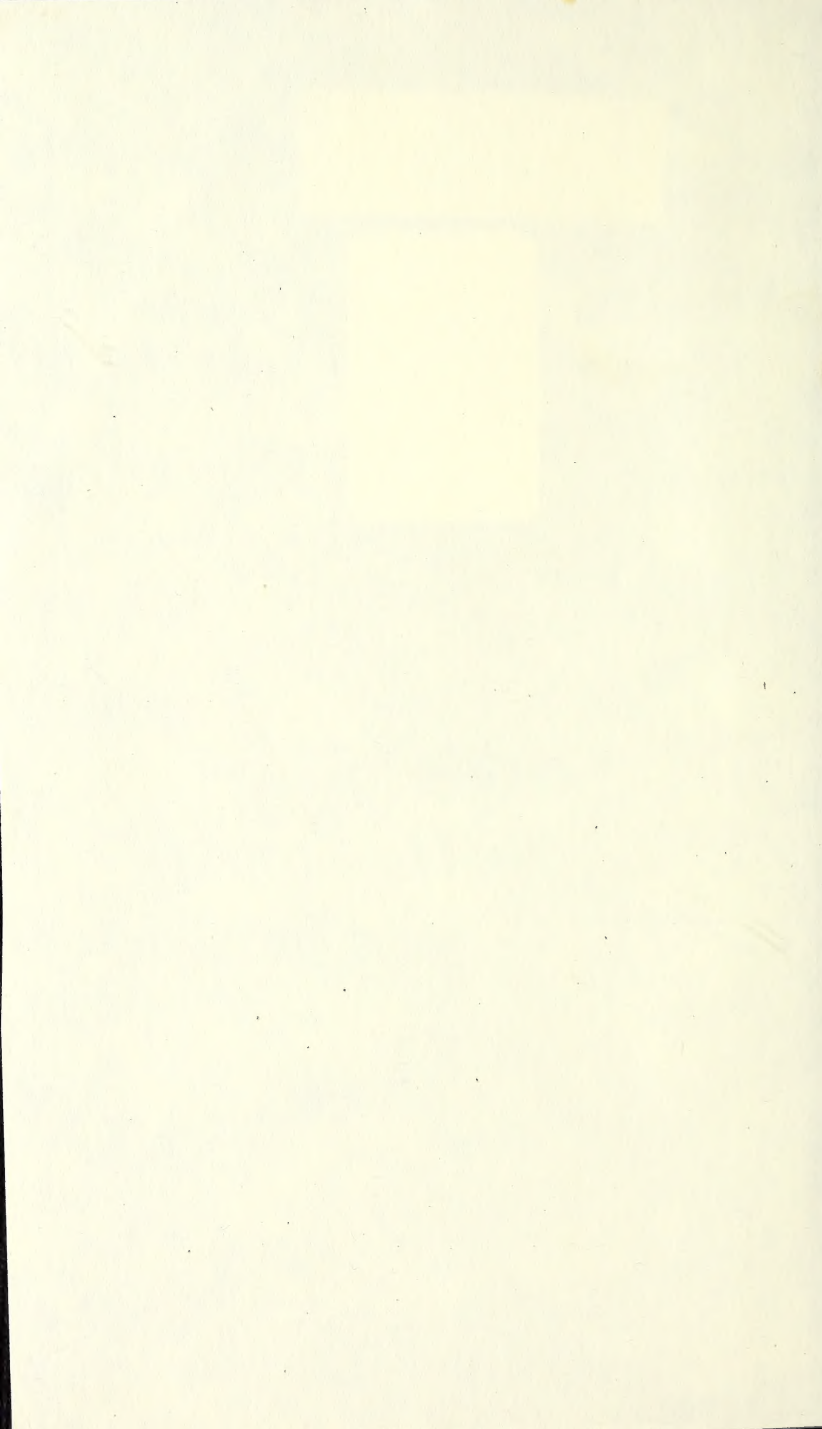
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SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 208.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 3, 1898.

1. Second Lieutenant *Louis H. Gross*, 6th Infantry, will proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, for medical treatment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. The following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed from the places hereinafter designated to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty:

Samuel S. Rodman, from Frankfort, Kentucky;

Donald P. McCord, from St. Louis, Missouri.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the President, Major *R. Stansbury Sutton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Stanley Warren*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to this city, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. Captain *Frank E. Hobbs*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits during the month of September, 1898, to the works of the Pond Machine Tool Company, Plainfield, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the inspection of gun carriages in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and, on completion of that duty, will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. Major *Charles A. H. McCauley*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will proceed from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Baltimore, Maryland, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as may be communicated to him by the Quartermaster General of the Army, and, on completion of this duty, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Harry*

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B. Chamberlin, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is extended one month on account of sickness.

8. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Major *Peter D. MacNaughton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

9. By direction of the President, Brigadier General *Charles F. Roe*, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 10, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. By direction of the President, Captain *Ralph P. Howell*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 10, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles E. Pellew*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 10, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas W. Jackson*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the chief surgeon, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, at that place for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. Acting Assistant Surgeon *William R. S. George*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Houston, Texas, to New York City, New York, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *J. Morris Brown*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, to await transportation by first steamer for Ponce, Porto Rico, and, upon arrival there, will report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. Under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 7, 1898, for increasing the efficiency of the Quartermaster's Department, the following assignments of officers as Special Inspectors of the Quartermaster's Department, etc., are ordered:

Lieutenant Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from his present duties and assigned to duty as Special Inspector of the Quartermaster's Department, under the instructions of the Quartermaster General of the Army, and while so acting shall have the rank of Colonel. He will proceed to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Major *Forrest H. Hathaway*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from his present duties at the Philadelphia General Depot, Pennsylvania, and is assigned to duty as special inspector of the Quartermaster's Department, under the instructions of the Quartermaster General of the Army, and while so acting shall have the rank of lieutenant colonel. He will take station at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and report by letter to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further orders;

Captain *Jeremiah Z. Dare*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now on temporary duty in the office of the Quartermaster General of the Army, is assigned to duty in that office in charge of miscellaneous war claims growing out of the war with Spain, etc., and while so acting shall have the rank of Major.

15. Captain *Thomas Swobe*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Tampa, Florida, and will proceed at once to Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Eugene W. Davis*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Saginaw, Michigan, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. The following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Robert A. McDonald*, Company D, 1st Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Charles E. Reeser*, Company D, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Private *Josh P. Crauke*, Troop M, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry, San Antonio, Texas;

Corporal *Howard F. Henry*, Company L, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Frank E. Kelley*, Company C, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Sheridans Point, Virginia;

Private *Albert E. Southern*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Port Pickens, Florida;

Privates *Edward Hickson* and *Maurice B. Hickson*, Company E, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Mark L. Goodwin*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, Fort Morgan, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. Private *Richard E. Wilcox*, Company G, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, now at his home on furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge, papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. Corporals *James H. Sullivan* and *Josiah T. Charlton* Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their regiment. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. First Sergeant *Francis H. Cameron*, Troop F, 2d Cavalry, now at Montauk Point, New York, will be sent to Augusta, Georgia, and report upon arrival to the Commanding Officer, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, to receive a commission. He will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding Officer, 2d Cavalry, on the day prior to the date of his acceptance of the commission.

21. Private *Frank Lawrance*, Company G, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, now at Angel Island, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

22. First Sergeant *Edwin J. Parker*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Black, Hempstead, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. Private *James M. Claybrook*, Company E, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. Hospital Steward *William C. Livingston* and two acting hospital stewards now aboard the transport ship "San Marcus," will, upon arrival of that steamer at Montauk Point, New York, be sent to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will report upon their arrival to Lieutenant Colonel A. A. Woodhull, Deputy Surgeon General, for duty.

25. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Raphael Echeverria*, U. S. Army, having reported in person to the Surgeon General of the Army as directed will proceed from this city to Tampa, Florida, and report in person to the commanding officer at that place for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. Sergeant Major *Edward R. Tompkins*, Quartermaster Sergeant *Charles J. Epps*, 1st Sergeant *Lewis J. Bristow* and Private *Joseph D. West*, Company A, and Private *Walter N. Scott*, Company K, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, now at Columbia, South Carolina, will be discharged the service of the United States to enable them to accept commissions. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

27. Second Lieutenant *Edward L. King*, 8th Cavalry, is relieved from duty on the staff of Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, and will report in person to Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, Commanding Department of Santiago, for assignment and duty as aid-de-camp. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William O. Kelm*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 185, paragraph 53, August 8, 1898, from this office, is extended one month, on account of sickness.

29. The leave of absence for twenty-one days granted Captain *Daniel J. Keefe*, 9th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, in paragraph 72, Special Orders, No. 190, August 13, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days.

30. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles F. Cook*, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, in

Special Orders, No. 179, paragraph 11, August 1, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

31. Leave of absence for two months, from August 4, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability, is granted 1st Lieutenant *James H. Pound*, 33d Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

32. Captain *Robert M. Rogers*, 2d Artillery, and 1st Lieutenant *John D. Barrette*, 7th Artillery, will make such journeys between their station and the camp of the 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry as may be necessary on official business pertaining to the muster out of service of that regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry B. Lee*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. Leave of absence for one month from August 20, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted Captain *Guy G. Bailey*, assistant surgeon, 33d Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

35. The following-named officers having tendered their resignations are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *John R. Blake*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *D. P. Henry*, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John J. Bergen*, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles W. Bridges*, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

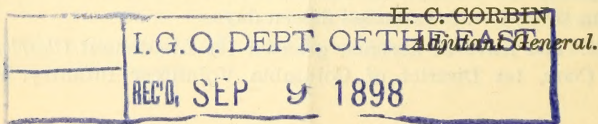
First Lieutenant *John B. Holland*, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *R. C. Hazlehurst*, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Frederick G. S. Smith*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Frank C. Hatch*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:



SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 209. }

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 5, 1898.

1. Private *George M. Bergman*, Company M, 6th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to Springfield, Illinois.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance, at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind. The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on his final statements.

2. Private *Oliver Brosseau*, Company B, 22d Kansas Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to Topeka, Kansas, and will report upon arrival to the commanding officer of his company for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance, at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for the soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. Paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 195, August 19, 1898, from this office, relating to Sergeant *Charles E. Morton*, Company B, 19th Infantry, is amended to read, "now in this city, will be discharged by the Adjutant General of the Army."

4. By direction of the President, Colonel *Charles R. Suter*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty as a member of the California Debris Commission to regulate hydraulic mining in the State of California, to take effect October 15, 1898.

5. Colonel *Charles R. Suter*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty as division engineer of the Pacific Division, to take effect October 15, 1898, and will transfer temporarily to Major *William H. Heuer*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, the works now under his charge, with all money and property appertaining thereto, and proceed to and take station at Boston, Massachusetts, and relieve Colonel *Samuel M. Mansfield*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, of the works in his charge, together with all money and property appertaining thereto.

Colonel *Mansfield*, upon being thus relieved by Colonel *Suter*, will proceed to and take station at San Francisco.

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California, and relieve Major *Heuer* of the works temporarily transferred to him by Colonel *Suter*, and assume the duties of division engineer of the Pacific Division.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. Recruits *Frank Moninger* and *John Fury*, 17th United States Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and will report upon their arrival to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

7. The detail of the following named officers for duty at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, is announced:

Major *Henry C. Davis*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers (1st Lieutenant, 7th U. S. Artillery);

Captain *Julius A. Penn*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 2d U. S. Infantry). He will report for duty at the Academy October 15, 1898.

Captain *Robert L. Howze*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 6th U. S. Cavalry);

Captain *Edward Anderson*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 7th U. S. Cavalry);

First Lieutenant *Granger Adams*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Samson L. Faison*, 1st U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Wilmot E. Ellis*, 4th U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Joseph T. Crabbs*, 9th U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *George F. Landers*, 4th U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Palmer E. Pierce*, 13th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Edward D. Anderson*, 10th U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Richmond P. Davis*, 2d U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Charles H. Hunter*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Frank G. Mauldin*, 7th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *William Lassiter*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Julian R. Lindsey*, 9th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *George Blakely*, 2d U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Thales L. Ames*, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Harry H. Stout*, 6th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Samuel V. McClure*, 7th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Frank W. Coe*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *David M. King*, 4th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *William M. Cruikshank*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *William R. Smith*, 1st U. S. Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *Jens Bugge*, 3d U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Charles H. Paine*, 13th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Frederick W. Lewis*, 22d U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *James M. Williams*, 7th U. S. Artillery.

He will report for duty at the Academy on the expiration of his present sick leave.

Second Lieutenant *Girard Sturtevant*, 25th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Joseph L. Knowlton*, 2d U. S. Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *Eugene P. Jervey, jr.*, 5th U. S. Cavalry;
 Second Lieutenant *Samuel C. Hazzard*, 1st U. S. Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *Herbert A. White*, 6th U. S. Cavalry;
 Second Lieutenant *James W. Hinkley, jr.*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Mathew C. Smith*, 2d U. S. Cavalry;
 Second Lieutenant *Samuel Hof*, 6th U. S. Cavalry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

The journeys made by the officers named in the above list who have reported at the Military Academy, in compliance with telegraphic instructions heretofore issued from this office, are approved as having been necessary for the public service.

8. By direction of the President, Brigadier General *Oswald H. Ernst*, U. S. Volunteers (Lieutenant Colonel, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), is relieved from further duty as Superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York.

9. The following-named officers are relieved from further duty at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York:

Captain *James Parker*, 4th U. S. Cavalry;
 Captain *John H. Beacom*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *John J. Pershing*, 10th U. S. Cavalry;
 First Lieutenant *Charles P. Echols*, Corps of Engineers;
 First Lieutenant *Walter A. Bethel*, 3d U. S. Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *William R. Smedberg, jr.*, 4th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Walter C. Babcock*, 8th U. S. Cavalry.

10. Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will proceed to Montauk Point, New York, and carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. He will then proceed to Quonsett Point, Rhode Island, and Niantic, Connecticut, for the purpose of inspecting the artillery horses to be turned

in by the commands to be mustered out of service at those places, and, upon the completion of this duty, will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service

11. Captain *Thomas S. Grasselli*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to his home, and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. Major *Herbert Katz*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as Depot Commissary at Newport News, Virginia, and will proceed at once to Omaha, Nebraska, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri, to relieve Captain *John Baxter, jr.*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, from his duties as Acting Chief Commissary of that Department and as Purchasing Commissary at Omaha, Nebraska. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. Major *Godfrey H. Macdonald*, Chief Ordnance Officer, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *Austin H. Brown*, Adjutant, 4th U. S. Infantry.

15. First Lieutenant *Peter J. Reddy*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding officer at the latter station for assignment to duty with Captain *Lyman's* company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. Acting Assistant Surgeon *George Dock*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Ann Arbor, Michigan, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas H. Kearney*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. Acting Assistant Surgeon *John Gilbert*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. Acting Assistant Surgeon *L. B. Bluitt*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Quincy, Illinois, to New York City, New York, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *J. Morris Brown*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, to await transportation by U. S. Steamer "Yucatan" to Santiago, Cuba, and, upon arrival there, will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for duty with the 8th Illinois Volunteer Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. The leave of absence granted Brigadier General *John N. Andrews*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 97, August 30, 1898, Headquarters 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended twenty days.

21. Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. L. Coleman*, U. S. Army, having reported in person to the Surgeon General of the Army as directed, will proceed from this city to Fort Point, Galveston, Texas, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. Captain *Charles M. Forrest*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now in this city, is relieved from duty with the 2d Army Corps, and will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty with the 3d Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. Private *William M. Allen*, Hospital Corps, now at Sullivan's Island, South Carolina, is detailed as acting hospital steward, and will be sent to Fernandina, Florida. He will report upon his arrival at that station to the commanding officer U. S. troops for duty.

24. Private *Gustave Jones*, Company E, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, Fort Clark, Texas, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

25. Captain *James G. Blaine*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to his home, and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. First Lieutenant *Frederick H. Gregg*, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will report in person to Brigadier General *Royal T. Frank*, U. S. Volunteers, at Anniston, Alabama, for assignment to duty as Acting Assistant Quartermaster, 1st Division Hospital and Ambulance Company, under his orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *Irving J. Carr*, 17th Infantry.

28. Captain *George S. Young*, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Denver, Colorado, awaiting orders, will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. Captain *Thomas C. Woodbury*, 16th Infantry, upon the expiration of his present sick leave, will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. Paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 197, August 22, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *Arthur W. Orton*, 5th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

31. Major *John D. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Wadsworth, New York, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the President, Captain *John A. Dapray*, 23d Infantry, is honorably discharged as Captain and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, only, to date August 31, 1898, on tender of resignation.

33. First Lieutenant *William E. Welsh*, 10th U. S. Infantry (recently promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 8th U. S. Infantry), and 1st Lieutenant *William A. Raibourn*, 10th U. S. Infantry (recently promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 4th U. S. Infantry), will proceed to join the 10th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. Sergeant *Arthur Wolfe* and 1st Class Private *Parker C. Reed*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be sent to Camp Meade,

Middletown, Pennsylvania, and will report upon their arrival to the commanding officer, 6th Signal Corps Company, for duty.

35. Private *John F. Dyas*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, now on furlough at Paris, Illinois, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. The following named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the services of the United States to take effect this date:

Major *Bennett H. Tobey*, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Carl W. Jeffries*, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *J. R. K. Barlow*, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Andrew M. Motsinger*, 5th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Beverly L. Thomas, jr.*, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

37. First Lieutenant *Robert S. Brooks*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, will proceed from Paterson, New Jersey, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report for duty with his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Benjamin W. Atkinson*, Quartermaster, 6th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 24, August 20, 1898, 1st Division, 5th Army Corps, is changed to sick leave and extended one month and twenty days on account of sickness.

39. The leave of absence for ten days granted 1st Lieutenant *William C. Bennett*, Adjutant, 6th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. —, Headquarters 5th Army Corps, August 20, 1898, and extended ten days in paragraph 51, Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is changed to leave for one month, on account of sickness, with permission to apply for an extension of one month, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, is detailed as a member of the board of officers, con-

stituted by paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, and paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, for the examination of lieutenants of the line, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, *vice* Captain *Lawrence L. Bruff*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, hereby relieved.

41. The leave of absence granted Captain *Thomas F. Cooke*, 52d Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 51, 3d Army Corps, July 21, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

42. The leave of absence for seven days granted 1st Lieutenant *H. E. Pearson*, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 24, 1st Army Corps and Camp George H. Thomas, is extended one month on account of sickness.

43. The leave of absence granted Captain *William L. Hazen*, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 27, 1st Division, 5th Army Corps, August 23, 1898, is extended twenty days.

44. The sick leave of absence granted Major *E. B. Winans*, 34th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 49, 5th Army Corps, July 27, 1898, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

45. The leave of absence heretofore granted Major *Thomas F. Lynch*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

46. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *Albert M. McGee*, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

47. Paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Herman F. Hoffman*, Company G, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

48. Corporal *William W. Steel*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, now on detached service at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be sent to Willets Point, New York. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

49. Corporal *William H. Rebhun*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date August 30, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

50. Private *Milton J. Fletcher*, Company A, 5th Infantry, now supposed to be at Santiago, Cuba, is transferred as

2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will be sent to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and will report upon his arrival for duty to the commanding officer Signal Corps detachment at that post.

51. Sergeant *Max Fack*, Battery H, 5th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date August 24, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Fred. H. Wilson*, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended twenty-one days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

53. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Arthur E. Lewis*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

54. The leave of absence heretofore granted Major *Francis L. Oswald*, surgeon, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

55. The extension of the sick leave of absence granted Captain *John P. Trainor*, 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 189, paragraph 28, Adjutant General's Office, August 12, 1898, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

56. The extension of leave of absence granted Major *Charles A. Vernou*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 187, August 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

57. The leave of absence granted Major *Henry La Motte*, surgeon, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 164, July 14, 1898, from this office, is extended to include August 12, 1898.

58. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *George W. Henneman*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in regimental orders dated August 19, 1898, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

59. Second Lieutenant *Percy W. Arnold*, 7th Artillery, is assigned to Battery E of that regiment. He will remain on duty with Battery C, 7th Artillery, until further orders.

60. Paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 203, August 29, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry J. Hunt*, 6th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 23, August 19, 1898, 1st

Division, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month and three days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

61. Leave of absence for twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Colonel *Thaddeus W. Jones*, 10th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

62. The journey from New York City to Fort Porter, New York, made by Captain *James B. Goe*, 13th Infantry, under the operation of telegraphic instructions from this office, dated August 1, 1898, to the surgeon in charge U. S. Transport "Concho," is approved, as having been necessary for the public service.

63. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Alga P. Berry*, 10th Infantry.

64. Private *John H. Smith*, Battery H, 6th Artillery, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

65. Private *John S. Schaul*, Company G, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be in Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

66. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *James D. Taylor, jr.*, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 176, July 28, 1898, from this office, is extended fourteen days on account of sickness.

67. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Colonel *Harry C. Egbert*, 22d Infantry.

68. The following-named officers will report in person in due time to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at ten o'clock a. m., Tuesday, September 20, 1898, for examination with a view to their transfer to the Ordnance Department:

Second Lieutenant *John H. Rice*, 3d Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *William M. Cruikshank*, 1st Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *James M. Williams*, 7th Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Samuel Hof*, 6th Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Tiemann N. Horn*, 2d Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Edward J. Timberlake, jr.*, 2d Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *Kenneth Morton*, 3d Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *David M. King*, 4th Artillery.

Upon the conclusion of their examination the officers named will return to the place of receipt by them of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Virgil Jones*, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

70. The following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Private *Edward Brand*, Company I, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *J. W. Brock*, Company A, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Edwin R. Donnan*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Eugene A. Harris*, Company M, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Camp Merriam, California;

Private *Ralph W. McNally*, Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, Porto Rico.

Private *Logan Thomson*, Troop M, 5th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Henry Wessel*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, West Point, New York;

Trumpeter *Corbly J. Davis*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *Edmund T. Comstock*, Hospital Corps, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Farriers *James A. Williams* and *George E. Jones*, and Privates *John Janson*, *John G. McCabe*, *Elisha O. Perry*, *Victor W. Larsen*, *Harry Sheppard*, and *Robert Steffen*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Irving L. Hager*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

71. Private *James Fowler*, Company I, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States, to date June 21, 1898, by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge certificate to this office.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

72. Private *Harry Griffin*, Battery D, 1st Artillery, now at Fort St. Philip, Louisiana, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

73. Private *Joseph Ganzekaufer*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, now at West Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

74. Private *John G. Fretschler*, Troop H, 7th Cavalry, now at Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

75. Private *Willis L. Calhoun*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 3d Army Corps, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Company G, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, supposed to be at the same station.

76. Private *Edward Tischler*, Detachment Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, West Point, New York, is transferred to Battery B, 6th Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort McHenry, Maryland.

77. Private *Harry A. Burnett*, Troop D, 7th Cavalry, now at Fort Du Chesne, Utah, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

78. Private *Albert Crow*, Hospital Corps, 4th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Company A, 11th Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Porto Rico.

79. Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Will Edwards*, now at Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, will report to the Quartermaster on duty at the Leiter U. S. General Hospital for duty under his direction.

80. Private *Marion A. Smith*, Company G, 5th Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this

order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

81. Paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 200, August 25, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *David T. Evans*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, is amended to read: "Private, Detachment of Recruits, 1st U. S. Cavalry."

82. Paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 144, June 20, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Richard L. Dargin*, Company A, Independent South Carolina Battery, is amended to read, "will be discharged from the service of the United States, to date June 17, 1898."

83. The following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *William V. Kramer*, Company C, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Roy L. Quackenbush*, Company B, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *A. O. MacDonnell, jr.*, Company E, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

84. Private *Edward M. Johnson*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

85. Private *Harold P. Waldo*, Company B, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

86. Sergeant *Paul C. Hutton*, Company B, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date July 19, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station, he having accepted appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

87. Private *Willie A. Jones*, Company A, 2d North Caro-

lina Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at St. Simons Island, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

88. Private *George Arhart*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

89. Sergeant *John J. McDonough, jr.*, Company K, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

90. The following named enlisted men, now at stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Hugh R. Miller*, Company G, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Private *William Harris*, Company C, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John E. Kelly*, Company I, 9th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Chapman D. Marks*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, Camp Black, Hempstead, New York;

Private *Muck Melson*, Company A, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, Fort Clark, Texas;

Corporal *Lorenzo C. Addiss*, Company H, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

91. The following-named enlisted men will be discharged from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Joseph H. Root*, Company M, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ralph S. Johnson*, Troop B, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Sergeant *Walter D. C. Moore*, Company D, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lucius A. Peek*, Light Battery A, Georgia Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Ike Salsbury*, Company E, 9th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frank G. Gardner*, Troop F, 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *James J. Stehle*, Company G, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

92. The following-named enlisted men will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Privates *William H. Murphy* and *Patrick Murphy*, Company K, 1st New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Claude L. Pickin*, Company F, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Albert T. Osgood*, Troop H, 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Edwin O. Glenn*, Battery A, Wyoming Volunteer Artillery;

Sergeant *Anton P. Wright*, Company B, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Eugene B. Sanborn*, Company C, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph W. Wiggs*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Private *Carl H. Williams*, Company E, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Reginald B. Looker*, Company H, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert Mynatt*, Company K, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank Burns*, Company F, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry H. Davis*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *John Cousley*, Company C, 19th U. S. Infantry;

Sergeants *Albert D. Wright, jr.*, Company C, and *Robert M. Hitch*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Harry O. Holt*, Company E, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

93. The following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William J. Wunderlich*, Company K, 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Charles Wuest*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, Santiago, Cuba;

Corporal *August Rumpf*, Company M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *Clayton Potter, jr.*, Troop K, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *Harry Chamberlain*, Company B, 158th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Arthur J. O'Neill*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief;"

Private *Clayton T. Ross*, Company H, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Private *Charles T. Allen*, Company F, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, Porto Rico;

Private *John C. Collins*, Company E, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Sergeant *Charles W. Rapine*, Company I, 2d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Montchanin, Delaware;

Private *Samuel K. Robinson*, Company I, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Corporal *Aloysius J. Knapp*, Company F, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Albert H. Hammond*, Company D, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, Fort Omaha, Nebraska;

Private *Dick Stephens*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Pickens, Florida;

Private *George B. Cundy*, Company B, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee;

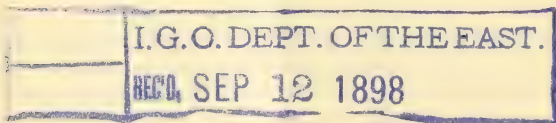
Musician *Frank Farrell*, Company G, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, Camp Black, Hempstead, New York;

Private *Francis J. Pursell*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 210.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, September 6, 1898.

1. Brigadier General *Joseph W. Plume*, U. S. Volunteers, upon the return to Dunn Loring, Virginia, of Brigadier General *John P. S. Gobin*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed with his aid-de-camp to Newark, New Jersey, and there await orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. Private *John T. Dillard*, Battery H, 1st Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

3. Private *James E. Brennan*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

4. Private *Alonzo J. Dale*, Battery L, 7th Artillery, Willets Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. The following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Private *Joseph A. Carter*, Company G, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James D. Wilkinson*, Company C, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Ernest W. McCall*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Lary Bays*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Pickens, Florida.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations these soldiers are not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished them.

6. Sergeants *Harry O'Brien*, Company E, and *William A. McLean*, Company F, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

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7. Corporal *Frank M. Rosillo*, Company D, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now at Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant Secretary of War directs that Commissary Sergeant *David F. Driscoll*, now at St. Francis Barracks, Florida, be, upon his own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect September 6, 1898, and that he repair to his home.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journey is necessary for the public service.

9. First Sergeant *William H. Franklin*, Company E, 24th Infantry, Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date August 17, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

10. The following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Private *Emanuel G. Spencer*, Company M, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Dennis Higgins*, Company I, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *George R. Gardner* and *Henry A. Brown*, Troop C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *James J. Connell*, Troop —, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *William T. White*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Charles W. Beehler*, Company I, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Joe Burda*, Company F, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Harvey B. Riggs*, Company M, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Private *Ed. Titus*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Pickens, Florida;

Private *Harvey Wood*, Company C, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Richard S. Davidson*, Company I, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Oscar Hooper*, Company H, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Cornelius O. Whitehouse*, Company —, 2d U. S. Infantry, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *Joseph B. Champion*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Privates *Daniel A. Boone*, *Horace P. Walter*, Company C, and *Ouida Knight*, Company I, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. Major *R. R. Wright*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, now at Atlanta, Georgia, is assigned to duty and station in that city, to date from August 10, 1898, and will report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the Gulf, and by letter to the commanding general of that Department.

12. By direction of the President, Major *Edward Martin*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. First Lieutenant *Leigh A. Fuller*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, for duty in the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. So much of paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 181, August 3, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Assistant Surgeon *George E. Lawrason*, U. S. Army, is amended so as to read Acting Assistant Surgeon *George B. Lawrason*, and to direct him to proceed from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Tampa, Florida. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. The leave of absence granted Captain *Daniel E. Mc-*

Carthy, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, August 1, 1898, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

16. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Grote Hutcheson*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers.

17. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles D. Parkhurst*, 2d U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 159, July 8, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

18. The leave of absence granted Captain *Arthur C. Ducat*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

19. The leave of absence granted Captain *Benjamin C. Lockwood*, 22d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 179, August 1, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

20. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Thomas M. Anderson, jr.*, 13th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 10, August 25, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

21. The sick leave of absence granted Major *Charles Collins*, 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 67, 3d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

22. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *David M. Caldwell*, Battalion Adjutant, 5th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

23. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles C. Singleton*, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 34, U. S. A. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, August 19, 1898, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

24. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *L. E. Cox*, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry in Special Orders, No. 53, paragraph 2, 3d Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

25. Private *Emil Waltzer*, Battery B, Battalion California Volunteer Artillery, now at Fort Baker, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt

of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

26. Private *William Franklin*, Battery B, Battalion California Volunteer Artillery, now at Fort Baker, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

27. Private *Elbert V. Griffin*, Company E, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. The following-named enlisted men, now in the hands of the civil authorities, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective regiments, who will forward the discharge papers to this office:

Private *John F. Shields*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery;

Private *Thomas J. Brown*, Company K, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

29. Hospital Steward *Edward F. Costine*, now at Fort Brady, Michigan, will be sent to Governors Island, New York. He will report upon his arrival at that station to the Commanding General, Headquarters Department of the East, for duty.

30. The following-named enlisted men of Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now at Sheridans Point, Virginia, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their regiment:

Corporals *Lewis Harnevious*, *John Ralston*, *George D. Williamson*, and Private *George Skinner*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. Private *John L. Sweeney*, Company F, 16th Infantry, now supposed to be sick in hospital, Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. Private *Robert Carter*, Troop —, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in the hands of the civil authorities, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the

discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

33. Captain *George Bell, jr.*, 1st U. S. Infantry (recently promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Infantry), will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. Major *J. Estcourt Sawyer*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now in this city, will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty, to relieve Captain *John T. Knight*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, of his duties there relating to matters of transportation, construction, and quartermaster's supplies. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. Captain *John T. Knight*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, upon being relieved at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, by Major *J. Estcourt Sawyer*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Charleston, South Carolina, and take passage on the steamer "*Minnewaska*," sailing from that port on Saturday, the 10th instant, proceed thereon to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty in charge of the principal quartermaster's depot at that place. Captain *Knight*, while acting under the assignment herein directed, will have the rank of Major, under the act of Congress approved July 7, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Murray F. Mudge*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Gaines, New York, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Matthew Leepere*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Milan, Missouri, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. Leave of absence for fourteen days on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *C. L. G. Anderson*, U. S. Army.

39. Major *James W. Reilly*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to the Sandy Hook Proving Ground,

Sandy Hook, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the test of a disappearing gun carriage, and, on completion of that duty, will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. A board of officers to consist of—

Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Major *Louis A. La Garde*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *George E. Bushnell*, chief surgeon of division, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army);

Captain *George D. De Shon*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

Captain *Edward L. Munson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is constituted to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, in this city, on Monday, October 10, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the examination of candidates for admission to the Medical Corps of the Army. The board will be governed in its proceedings by such instructions as it may receive from the Surgeon General of the Army.

41. The leave of absence for ten days granted 2d Lieutenant *Cornelius C. Smith*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 86, Headquarters 4th Army Corps, August 22, 1898, is changed to sick leave and extended one month on account of sickness.

42. The leave of absence for ten days granted Captain *J. C. Patterson*, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 119, 1st Army Corps, current series, is extended ten days.

43. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Harry L. Pitkin*, 1st New Hampshire Volunteer Infantry.

44. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *L. R. Gaylord*, 6th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

45. First Lieutenant *Jacob Schweitzer*, Quartermaster, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

46. Sick leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *James W. Frankfather*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

47. The sick leave of absence for twenty-one days granted Major *H. E. Bradley*, Surgeon, 2d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 184, paragraph 29, War De-

partment, Adjutant General's Office, August 6, 1898, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

48. Paragraph 46, Special Orders, No. 206, September 1, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

Captain *Hugh J. Barron*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

49. The leave of absence granted Captain *E. W. Rydman*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 100, 1st Army Corps, current series, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

50. The leave of absence for ten days granted Colonel *Charles A. Van Duzee*, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 135, 1st Army Corps, current series, is extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

51. Second Lieutenant *Lyman M. Bass*, 3d Artillery, will proceed to Denver, Colorado, and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Howard G. Young*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, by Special Orders, No. 199, paragraph 53, August 24, 1898, from this office, is changed to sick leave, and is extended twenty-one days on account of sickness.

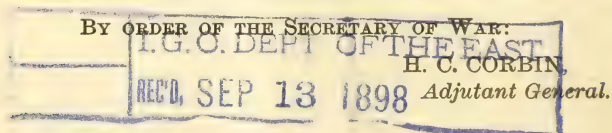
53. The following-named officers will report in person in due time to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, September 20, 1898, at the Army Building, New York City, for the examination of Lieutenants of the line of the Army, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army:

Second Lieutenant *Lucius R. Holbrook*, 4th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *George W. Moses*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Charles D. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry.

Upon the completion of their examination the officers named will return to the place of receipt by them of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 211.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 7, 1898.

1. The following-named enlisted men of the United States Volunteer Signal Corps, now on duty in this Department, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Chief Signal Officer of the Army:

Sergeant *Court C. Meigs*, Corporal *M. W. Yeager*, Privates *W. W. Hadley*, *Charles F. Ball*, and *N. F. Wortz*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. Private *Patrick Donovan*, Company D, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to Troy, New York.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. Private *Albert T. Bowman*, Company I, 8th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date August 5, 1898, by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at Tampa, Florida. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. Private *David Fleming, jr.*, Troop G, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. The following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Musician *Charles F. Adam*, Company B, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Earnest O. Burrows*, Company H, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert M. Daugherty*, Battery K, 4th U. S. Artillery;

Private *Arthur J. Hamilton*, Company F, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Fred E. Hurd*, Company F, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William D. Bryant*, Company F, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William Aspinwall*, Company H, 5th U. S. Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

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6. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Daniel C. Cooney*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas W. Bath*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Normal, Illinois, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry J. Hinkel*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Baltimore, Maryland, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. Acting Assistant Surgeon *James W. Hart*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Sheridan Point, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer at that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. Captain *Benjamin L. Ten Eyck*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from Newark, New Jersey, to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. Major *Morris C. Hutchins*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed at once to Cincinnati, Ohio, and relieve Captain *Alfred M. Palmer*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, of his duties at that place.

Captain *Palmer*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to New York City, New York, in time to take passage on Quartermaster's steamer sailing from that port on Wednesday, September 14, *via* Porto Rico, for Santiago, Cuba, and upon arrival there will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty as Assistant Quartermaster under his direction.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. Major *William Williams*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City, New York, to this city, and report in person to the Commissary

General of Subsistence for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. Major *Culver C. Sniffen*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to rejoin his station at Atlanta, Georgia, stopping *en route* at the Sub-Treasury, New York City, New York, and reporting in person to the Paymaster General of the Army in this city. The Quartermaster's Department will ship funds and safes for Major *Sniffen* to such points as he may designate. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. The following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Sergeant *John F. Stuart*, Company K, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Clark B. Shipp*, Company C, 5th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ray M. Lance*, Company D, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Alexander McArthur, jr.*, Company C, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Walter B. Richardson*, Company C, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

15. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry W. Sprague*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, in Special Orders, No. 193, August 17, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

16. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John L. Hines*, 2d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 58, August 5, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

17. Acting Assistant Surgeon *George Dock*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and report in person to the surgeon in charge of the Sternberg Hospital at that place for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Melchor G. Cockey*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Belvue, Kansas, to Jacksonville,

Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. The following transfers are made in the 4th Cavalry:
Captain *Fred Wheeler*, from Troop G to Troop E;
Captain *Hugh J. McGrath*, from Troop E to Troop G.

20. By direction of the President, Major *George T. Vaughan*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the military service of the United States, to take effect September 16, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. Major *James R. Branch*, 7th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

22. Major *Eugene L. Swift*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, upon the abandonment of the camp at Lithia Springs, Georgia, will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the President, Major *Eduard Boeckmann*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. Lieutenant Colonel *John Biddle*, Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, upon his arrival there. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. The extension of the sick leave of absence granted Major *R. L. Turner*, surgeon, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 181, paragraph 16, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 3, 1898, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

26. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Stephen J. Cobb*, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 80, paragraph 4,

Department of the Gulf, August 8, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

27. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Colonel *Henry Chauncey, jr.*, 8th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 77, 3d Army Corps, is extended twenty days from August 31, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability, and permission is granted to apply for a further extension of ten days.

28. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *E. M. Fullington*, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

29. Major *Andrew P. Biddle*, surgeon, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898.

30. Captain *George M. Crossman*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

31. Leave of absence to include September 25, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Duval West*, Adjutant, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

32. First Lieutenant *Duval West*, Adjutant, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect September 25, 1898.

33. Captain *T. J. Hay*, Battery B, 1st Battalion Heavy Artillery, California Volunteers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 30, 1898.

34. Leave of absence to include September 22, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Robert L. Archer*, Adjutant, 2d Regiment, West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

35. First Lieutenant *Robert L. Archer*, Adjutant, 2d Regiment, West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect September 22, 1898.

36. Colonel *Albert L. Mills* (1st Lieutenant, 1st Cavalry) will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Charles D. Viele*, 1st Cavalry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, by Special

Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and, upon the conclusion of his examination, will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John R. Seyburn*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 164, July 26, 1898, Department of the East, is extended seven days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

38. The leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph T. Haskell*, 17th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 185, August 8, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

39. The leave of absence granted Major *Morris C. Foote*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 191, August 15, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. Paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 198, August 23, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Henry Page*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked, and he will proceed at once from New York City to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to Major General *Adna R. Chaffee*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence, 3d Brigade, 2d Division, 5th Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. A board of officers to consist of—

Brigadier General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers (Lieutenant Colonel, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army);

Colonel *Frank J. Hecker*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *William C. Rivers*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at the call of the president thereof, to make regulations for the government of troops on transports. The junior member will record the proceedings.

Such journeys as it may be necessary for the members of the board to make in attending its sessions and in rejoining their stations upon the completion of their duties pertaining to the board are necessary for the public service.

42. Second Lieutenant *Rudolph Bumgardner*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, recently appointed from the 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to Jefferson Bar-

racks, Missouri, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *Rudolph Bumgardner*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

44. The following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *John F. Klein*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *John R. Barr*, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *P. F. Gleason*, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Joseph B. Whiting, jr.*, assistant surgeon, 1st Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *G. A. Cluett*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Frank Judson Hess*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *James S. White*, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Adelbert S. Hart*, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *William L. Thompson*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *George B. Hutchings*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

45. The following-named officers will report in person, in due time, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at ten o'clock a. m., September 20, 1898, for the examination of lieutenants of the line of the Army, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and, upon the completion of their examinations, the officers named will return to the place of receipt by them of this order:

Second Lieutenant *John Morrison, jr.*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *William H. Tschappat*, 5th U. S. Artillery.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

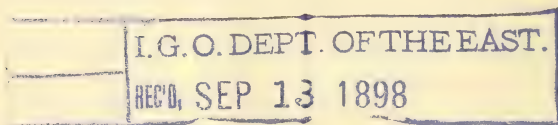
46. First Lieutenant *Jesse Rowe*, assistant surgeon, 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry, will proceed to Camp Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and report to the commanding officer,

Sternberg General Hospital at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William W. Bryant*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 84, August 20, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is still further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



1. A board of officers to consist of—

Major *Stanhope E. Blunt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Major *Daniel M. Taylor*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Captain *Beverly W. Dunn*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army; and

First Lieutenant *George W. Burr*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

is constituted to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, for conference with officers who were at Santiago, Cuba, with a view to obtaining information useful to the Ordnance Department concerning the action in active service of the caliber .30 magazine rifle and its ammunition, the caliber .45 Springfield rifle and its ammunition, and the modern field artillery with its ammunition and equipments.

The junior member of the board will record its proceedings.

The commanding general at Camp Wikoff will direct officers of his command, who may be able to give information useful to the board, to appear before it at such times as they can be spared without interfering with their other duties.

The travel required by the members of the board in attending its sessions, and returning to their stations, upon the completion of their duties as members of the board, is necessary for the public service.

2. Captain *Frank P. Avery*, 3d U. S. Infantry, having been found by an Army retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement from active service this date by the President, under the provisions of section 1251, Revised Statutes, is announced. He will proceed to his home *via* Fort Snelling, Minnesota. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. Major *Edward M. Hayes*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty with the 4th Army Corps, and will report by telegraph to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado, for assignment to a station, and proceed to join the station to which he may be assigned. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. Captain *Patrick H. McCaull*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in the office of the Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Dunn Loring, Virginia,

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and, accompanied by his authorized clerk, will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for duty pertaining to the payment of commutation of rations to soldiers on furlough under General Orders, No. 114, August 9, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. Captain *Walter L. Bouvé*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to his home and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. The travel from New York City to this city of the following-named officers, in compliance with instructions issued from this office September 7, 1898, is approved as having been necessary for the public service:

Brigadier General *Theodore Schwan*, U. S. Volunteers;

Captain *Ralph W. Hoyt*, 11th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Benjamin A. Poore*, 6th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *George T. Summerlin*, 8th U. S. Cavalry.

7. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Benjamin A. Poore*, 6th U. S. Infantry.

8. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Ralph W. Hoyt*, 11th U. S. Infantry.

9. Acting Assistant Surgeons *W. T. Hamilton* and *Stephen M. Long*, U. S. Army, will report in person to the commanding general of the troops at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, for assignment to duty.

10. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Philip P. Parrish*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Afton, Virginia, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Walter S. Chapman*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at San Carlos, Arizona Territory, and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer, Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. Acting Assistant Surgeon *William J. Boyd*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Pavilion, New York, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. The following-named officers will report in person, in due time, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, September 20, 1898, for the examination of Lieutenants of the line of the Army, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army:

Second Lieutenant *Alston Hamilton*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas W. Darrah*, 9th U. S. Infantry.

Upon the completion of their examination, the officers named will return to the place of receipt by them of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. Private *Richard M. Fontaine*, Company C, 10th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

15. First Sergeant *John L. Ryan*, Company D, 10th Infantry, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be sent to Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer.

16. Private *William Houston*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

17. Private *James D. Dickson*, Company B, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now at Galveston, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. Private *William Grabowski*, Hospital Corps, now at St. Francis Barracks, Florida, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

19. Private *George Jochem*, Company I, 7th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

20. Private *Vance H. Marchbanks*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. Recruiting Station, Nashville, Tennessee, will be sent to Fort Robinson, Nebraska. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

21. Private *Willie Pate*, Battery H, 6th Artillery, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, is, upon his own application, transferred to Light Battery C, 7th Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Porto Rico. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

22. Private *Harold C. Bays*, Company B, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Indianapolis, Indiana, is transferred to the 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Jacksonville, Florida, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of the regiment for assignment to a company.

23. Recruit *James W. Shay*, General Service, now supposed to be at Recruiting Station, No. 1316 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of that station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, upon the request of the Board of Commissioners of the Soldiers' Home in the District of Columbia, the Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation to this city to enable them to enter the Soldiers' Home, the cost to be refunded by the treasurer of the Home, for—

Gottfried Gauss, late private Company B, 3d Infantry, from Roswell, New Mexico;

James Graham, late Sergeant Company A, 4th Infantry, from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

25. The following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Corporal *Raymond E. Elder*, Company K, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry, San Francisco, California;

Private *John B. Harvey*, Company B, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James K. McCants*, Company I, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Howard B. Carey*, Company G, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Fred Darby*, Company E, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, Niantic, Connecticut;

Private *Thomas H. Boland*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *James Vaughn*, Company C, 2d Tennessee Volunteers, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Private *Willie Walker*, Troop M, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *Alfred E. Frederick*, Troop D, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Corporal *Harry C. Brown*, Company K, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Bugler *Leonard A. Nagel*, Company H, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Augustine De Y. Green*, Hospital Corps, General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

26. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Walter H. Daly*, 158th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 67, 1st Army Corps, August 6, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

27. A board of officers to consist of—

Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General;

Major *James C. Merrill*, surgeon;

Major *Louis A. La Garde*, surgeon;

is appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, Washington, District of Columbia, on Monday, October 3, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., or at such time thereafter as practicable, for the examination of such officers of the Medical Department as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

The junior officer will act as recorder, and the professional examinations will be conducted under such special instructions as the board may receive from the Surgeon General of the Army, through whom the reports of the board will be forwarded to the Adjutant General of the Army.

Upon the final adjournment of the board, Major *La Garde* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. The following-named officers will report in person on October 3, 1898, to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon

General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, Washington, District of Columbia, by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and, upon the conclusion thereof, will return to their proper stations:

Major *William H. Arthur*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army);

Major *George E. Bushnell*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army).

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. The leave of absence granted Major *William Auman*, 13th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 57, August 4, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

30. The leave of absence granted Post Chaplain *Dwight Galloupe*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended to include October 1, 1898.

31. The leave of absence granted Captain *William E. P. French*, 3d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

32. The leave of absence granted Captain *Julius A. Penn*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 188, August 11, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

33. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *John B. Schoeffel*, 9th Infantry, is changed to sick leave and extended two months on account of sickness.

34. The extension of leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Fayette W. Roe*, judge advocate, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 173, July 25, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

35. Acting Assistant Surgeons *Charles V. Buttler*, *Charles G. Eicher*, *Francis R. Percival*, *Frank W. Ross*, and *John T. H. Slayter*, U. S. Army, are relieved from duty at Camp Russell A. Alger, Falls Church, Virginia, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. Major *George H. Torney*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will turn over the command of the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief"

to Major *Alfred E. Bradley*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and comply with the requirements of paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 64, March 18, 1898, from this office.

37. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Major *George H. Torney*, surgeon, U. S. Army.

38. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Frank H. Lord*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is extended one month on account of sickness.

39. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *John P. Hains*, 3d Artillery.

40. Leave of absence for one month is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Benjamin F. Pope*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

41. Major *Walter K. Wright*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed, accompanied by his authorized clerk, to Chattanooga, Tennessee, on official business pertaining to the settlement of his accounts, and, upon the completion of this duty, is authorized to delay seven days in reporting for duty at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. Lieutenant Colonel *George O. Squier*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Signal Officer, 3d Army Corps, will proceed from Chickamauga Park, Georgia, to Cleveland, Ohio, and New York City, New York, on official business pertaining to the Signal Service, under such special instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, and, upon completion of that duty, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. Captain *Ralph Spotts*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, now in this city, will proceed to his home in Canton, Ohio, and await orders, reporting by letter, upon arrival there, to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The journeys performed by Lieutenant Colonel *James N. Allison*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, between Middletown and Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, August 18 and 23, 1898, on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department, are approved as having been necessary for the public service.

45. Lieutenant Colonel *James N. Allison*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will make such journeys as may be necessary between Middletown and Harrisburg,

Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. Lieutenant Colonel *James L. Lusk*, Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 2d Army Corps, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Chief of Engineers for duty in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Robert Craig*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army (now Lieutenant Colonel, Signal Corps, U. S. Army), in paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 139, June 14, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

48. Captain *William P. Goodwin*, 14th U. S. Infantry, having been found by an Army retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement from active service this date by the President, under the provisions of section 1251, Revised Statutes, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederick Perkins*, Adjutant, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

50. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *John A. Perry*, 8th Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

51. Private *Thomas E. Mansfield*, Light Battery A, 2d Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

52. Private *George Albert Baker*, Battery B, 6th Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

53. Private *Martin A. Smith*, Company A, 23d Infantry, now supposed to be at Camp Merritt, San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. Private *Ernest Cooper*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

55. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William H. Wassell*, 23d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

56. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Henry A. Greene*, 20th Infantry, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

57. By direction of the President, Captain *William Larabee, jr.*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Cornelius C. Smith*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 86, August 22, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

59. The leave of absence granted Captain *William E. English*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 164, July 26, 1898, Department of the East, is extended one month on account of sickness.

60. The extension of leave of absence, granted Captain *Robert C. Van Vliet*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 187, August 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

61. Leave of absence for three months on account of sickness is granted Major *John H. Duval*, Subsistence Department.

62. Leave of absence for fourteen days, from September 3, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Leigh A. Fuller*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

63. The leave of absence granted Captain *Norton Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 56,

March 9, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

64. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Soloman E. Sparrow*, 21st Infantry.

65. The following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Colonel *I. P. Wickersham*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Major *George G. Ward, jr.*, surgeon, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Major *Henry J. Thayer*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Herbert A. Clark*, Quartermaster, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Griswold Green*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

66. Privates *John B. Miller*, *E. P. De Moisy*, and *J. O. Davis*, Hospital Corps Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 3d Army Corps, now supposed to be at Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, are transferred to the 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Anniston, Alabama, for assignment to a company.

67. Private *Henry Krahenbuehl*, Company —, 4th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the 1st U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will report, upon his arrival, to the commanding officer for assignment to a troop.

68. The following-named enlisted men, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States on the dates set opposite their respective names by the Adjutant General of the Army:

Sergeant *Patrick Gauson*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, September 2, 1898;

First Sergeant *Starkey Y. Britt*, Battery E, 7th U. S. Artillery, September 4, 1898;

Sergeant *Gordon Stanton*, Battery M, 4th U. S. Artillery, September 1, 1898;

Sergeant *William H. Knapp*, Battery A, 7th Artillery, September 5, 1898;

First Sergeant *Richard H. Harris*, Battery L, 6th U. S. Artillery, September 4, 1898;

Sergeant *August Nicholson*, Battery L, 4th U. S. Artillery, September 4, 1898;

First Sergeant *Ralph M. Ball*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, September 2, 1898;

Sergeant *Hans C. K. F. Larsen*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, September 4, 1898.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

69. The following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at Jacksonville, Florida, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps:

Privates *Albert S. Jackson*, Company D, and *O. S. Galladay*, Company E, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *G. B. Parshall*, *G. F. Francis*, Company C, and *Arthur H. Davis*, Company K, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George H. Nelson*, Company L, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas C. Tilley*, Company I, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Austin A. Perry*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *James Manson*, Company M, 1st Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward M. Lacey*, Company E, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John C. Uzee*, Company L, 1st Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *J. A. Chambers*, Company E, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Percy Jones* and Corporal *Frank W. Jacobs*, Company M, 1st Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *James W. Davis*, *William H. Birch*, and Privates *Samuel N. Mefford* and *Arthur Currie*, Company G, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John F. Morrell*, Company A, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Augustus N. Dunning*, Company A; Sergeant *Leo Van Waldeven*, Company C; Corporal *Frank Ferero*, Company D; and Private *Matthew Thompson*, Company L, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joe C. White*, Company I, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Percy H. Tittle*, Company M, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas J. Srover*, Reserve Ambulance Corps;

Private *Caliborne C. Hill*, Company B, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Ora A. Bishop*, Company B, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Alexander C. Blair*, Company E, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William D. Sumner* and Private *Albert D. Penney*, Company G, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Henry C. Anderson*, Company D, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Harry K. White*, Company D, and Private *Joseph A. Armstrong, jr.*, Company H, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William H. Cardoza*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

They will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph E. Maxfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Chief Signal Officer, 7th Army Corps, for duty.

70. Post Quartermaster Sergeant *F. A. Clayton*, now at Dunn Loring, Virginia, will be sent to St. Augustine, Florida. He will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

71. Private *Warren J. Anderson*, Hospital Corps, now on duty in the office of the attending surgeon, Headquarters Department of the Lakes, Chicago, Illinois, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty in that office.

72. Private *John J. Lyke*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at 39 Whitehall street, New York City, is detailed as acting hospital steward. He will report for duty to Major *William H. Arthur*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, at that station.

73. Private *Frederick W. Ely*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

74. Corporal *Josiah T. Bullington*, Company I, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now at Jacksonville, Florida, is transferred as private to the 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry at that station.

75. The following named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *James E. McKinney*, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John McRight*, Company I, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert D. Goodwin*, Company L, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Frank M. Barnett*, Company K, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lucius Penick*, Company A, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

76. The following transfers are made:

Hospital Steward *Herman W. Riess*, now at Fort Delaware, Delaware, will be sent to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York. He will report for duty upon arrival to the commanding general at that camp.

Private *William J. Powrie*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is detailed as acting hospital steward. He will be sent to Tybee Island, Georgia, and will report upon his arrival at that station to the commanding officer for duty.

Hospital Steward *George W. Muller*, now at Tybee Island, Georgia, will be sent to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will report for duty upon arrival to the commanding general at that camp.

77. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John T. Haines*, Quartermaster, 5th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 42, August 19, 1898, headquarters 5th Cavalry, is changed to sick leave and extended twenty-three days on account of sickness.

78. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Guy E. Manning*, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 190, paragraph 46, August 13, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days.

79. The leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *F. C. Bennett*, 9th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 61, Camp George H. Thomas and 3d Corps, July 31, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

80. Second Lieutenant *Albert W. Foreman*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, is honorably mustered out of the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

81. Leave of absence to include September 30, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *William Jay Schieffelin*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

82. First Lieutenant *William Jay Schieffelin*, Adjutant, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect September 30, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect that date.

83. The following named officers of the 3d Georgia Volunteers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Robert Hodges*;

First Lieutenant *Thomas J. Ripley*.

84. The leave of absence granted Major *Eugene W. Van C. Lucas*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 76, August 10, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month and fifteen days on account of sickness.

85. The extension of leave of absence granted Major *Philip F. Harvey*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 177, July 29, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

86. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *Mark L. Hersey*, Quartermaster, 12th U. S. Infantry.

87. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry E. Tinfrock*, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 34, 4th Army Corps, August 20, 1898, is still further extended ten days on account of sickness.

88. First Lieutenant *J. B. L'Homedieu*, assistant surgeon, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

89. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *Benjamin A. Farrell*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 185, paragraph 50, August 8, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

90. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *James M. Yeaman*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 195, paragraph 52, August 19, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

91. First Sergeant *Otto E. Reissig*, Company M, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, now at Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, on the day prior to the date of his acceptance of commission. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

92. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles E. Fitzgerald*, Troop A, 7th Cavalry, now at Fort Duchesne, Utah, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

93. Acting Hospital Steward *George T. Reid*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Field Hospital, 2d Division, 3d Army Corps, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

94. The following assignments of Commissary Sergeants are made:

Otto Denner (appointed September 6, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company E, 22d U. S. Infantry), now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be sent to Fort Constitution, New Hampshire, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that post for duty;

James B. Whaley (appointed August 6, 1898, from Sergeant Major, 8th Infantry), now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be sent to Fort Hamilton, New York, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

95. Hospital Steward *Fred W. Armstrong* (appointed September 7, 1898), now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is assigned to duty at that post.

96. Hospital Steward *Patrick O'Brien* (appointed September 1, 1898), now at Benicia Barracks, California, is assigned to duty at that post.

97. Private *Felix Barberis*, Battery E, 5th Artillery, now at Fort Wadsworth, New York, will be discharged the serv-

ice of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

98. First Sergeant *Henry J. West* and Private *Downey Milbourne*, Company A, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States, on the day prior to date of acceptance of commissions by the commanding officer of their regiment. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

99. Private *Joseph Manges*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 6th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

100. The following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Chief Musician *John Albert*, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, San Francisco, California;

Private *Cornelius D. McClellan*, Company H, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *George W. Freeman*, Company K, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Private *Joseph E. McDonough*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Frank M. Anderson*, Company M, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

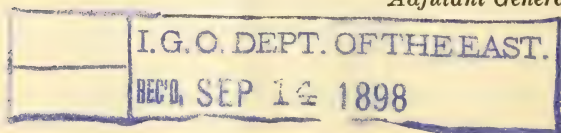
Sergeant *Charles Boelsterli*, Troop B, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Washakie, Wyoming;

Private *Sam H. West*, Company F, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 213. } Washington, September 9, 1898.

1. Sergeant *Frank Spang* and one private of Company H, 9th Infantry, having delivered an insane soldier from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, at the Government Hospital for the Insane, near this city, will be sent to Madison Barracks, New York.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations at the prescribed rate for two days for the escort and the insane man while *en route* to this city, it not having been furnished heretofore, and also commutation of rations for two days for the escort going to Madison Barracks, New York, it being impracticable for the soldiers to carry rations of any kind. Sergeant *Spang* is authorized to receipt for the commutation for the insane soldier.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, the place designated for the confinement of General Prisoner *Thomas R. Conn*, late private, Company H, 22d Infantry (now at Montauk Point, New York), in Special Orders, No. 11, Headquarters 2d Division, 5th Army Corps, June 12, 1898, is changed from Fort McPherson, Georgia, to Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, for the execution of the unexpired portion of his sentence, and the prisoner will be sent there under proper guard.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James B. Stewart*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Bradford, Pennsylvania, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Edwin C. Hoyt*, 11th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to New York City, and there await orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. Commissary Sergeant *George M. Berkel*, now at Hot Springs, Arkansas, having relinquished the unexpired portion of his furlough, is transferred to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ralph H. Jones*, Hospital Corps, now at the Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

Inspector General

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 22, Special Orders, No. 208, September 3, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to 1st Sergeant *Edwin J. Parker*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read "now at Willets Point, New York."

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John F. Martinek*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, Fort Clinch, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James L. Graham*, Company A, 18th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date July 29, 1898, by the commanding officer of his regiment, he having accepted a commission. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. Lieutenant Colonel *Eugene J. Spencer*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 30, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, then at the stations hereinafter designated, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Addison F. Brown*, Company G, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Lovett C. Brown*, Company D, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida;

Corporal *Osias S. Williams*, Company H, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, Griffin, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. The following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Grant B. Rossman*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

Private *Arthur Murray*, Troop B, 5th U. S. Cavalry;

Private *Frederick F. Shotroff*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery;

Private *William H. Bell*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia;

Private *David J. Jones*, Hospital Corps, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *James J. Smith*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps;

Hospital Steward *William N. Senn*, 5th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of the sick leave of absence granted Captain *James L. McBlaine*, 6th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles H. Ledward*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry L. Kincaide*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *H. W. Corning*, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 157, paragraph 30, July 6, 1898, from this office, is extended fourteen days.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Hugh J. Gallagher*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now in this city, will proceed to Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, and relieve Major *John H. Duval*, Subsistence Department, of his duties of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at that place, and while on such duty will have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 207, September 2, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as announces the discharge of Captain *George Waters*, Light Battery C, Pennsylvania Volunteers, to date September 2, 1898, is revoked, Captain *Waters* having been previously discharged on tender of resignation, by Special Orders, No. 195, paragraph 4, August 19, 1898, from this office, to take effect August 18, 1898.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John A. Hull*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers, will

proceed to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. Leave of absence for fourteen days is granted Captain *Douglas Settle*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Irving A. Caswell*, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Tracy C. Dickson*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed two visits to the works of the Pratt and Whitney Company, Hartford, Connecticut, on official business pertaining to the inspection of Gardner gun carriages and of machinery under construction at that point for the Springfield Armory, and, on completion thereof, will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *Lambert W. Jordan, jr.*, 1st U. S. Infantry.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frank Bruso*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 3d Army Corps, and will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, is appointed a Special Inspector under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect public animals reported as unserviceable and which may be presented to him at Chickamauga Park, Georgia, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. He will perform this duty before complying with paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 208, September 3, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service, by the President, September 9, 1898, of

Lieutenant Colonel *Wells Willard*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, by operation of law, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 30, 1882, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John Van R. Hoff*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as chief surgeon, 3d Army Corps, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Peter J. A. Cleary*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, chief surgeon, Department of the Gulf, will proceed to Charleston, South Carolina, and Savannah, Georgia, for the purpose of selecting a site for a general hospital of one thousand beds in the vicinity of one or the other of the cities named, and, on completion of this duty, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Everett E. Whipple*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Albert B. Dentsch*, Quartermaster, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 31, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men then at the stations designated are hereby confirmed:

Private *Otto Sassman*, Company K, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Douglas Hazlett*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Corporal *Frederic J. Sampson*, Company B, 9th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Robert Kemp*, Company C, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John C. Bernhard*, Company D, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Private *James M. Claybrook*, Company E, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Quartermaster Sergeant *James B. Dickinson*, Company A, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Corporal *Elnathan Lewis Higbee*, Company A, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Charles Billingsley*, Company B, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Addison H. Garrett*, Company L, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 26, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States of Artificer *Orison M. Hurd*, Company E, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, then at Jacksonville, Florida, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

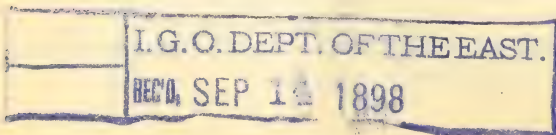
33. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Oscar D. Weed*, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *A. F. Lemke*, assistant surgeon, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Leon A. Merrill*, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended fourteen days on account of sickness.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 214. } Washington, September 10, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Charles Bliesener* (appointed September 8, 1898, from Sergeant, Company C, 22d Infantry), now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be sent immediately to Saint Francis Barracks, Florida. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

2. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *M. W. Gaither*, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 77, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, August 16, 1898, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

3. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank E. Bateman*, assistant surgeon, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 195, paragraph 46, August 19, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

4. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *E. W. Kennedy*, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Edward E. Pigott*, Company G, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *A. P. Scott*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, having accepted a commission, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date the day prior to his acceptance of the same, by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Walter P. Blackman*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation to take effect October 10, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, as of that date.

8. Leave of absence to include September 30, 1898, is granted Captain *Henry W. Boyer*, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

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9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry W. Boyer*, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation to take effect September 30, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect that date.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *F. R. Newberry*, assistant surgeon, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *F. C. Wilson*, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Esek B. Williamson*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from duty with the 3d Army Corps and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, commanding 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty:

Major *George A. Smith*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Bial T. Bradbury*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Milo B. Ward*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James M. Jenne*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 3d Army Corps and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, in charge of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry I. Raymond*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the Commanding General, 5th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. Captain *William H. Norfolk*, 2d Regiment U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction

of the Secretary of War, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *David C. Peyton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and assume supervision of the sick in hospitals in that city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Adrian S. Polhemus*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 3d Army Corps, and will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the Commanding General, 5th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William C. Gorgas*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Santiago, Cuba, and will proceed by first opportunity to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty as chief surgeon. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, is appointed a special inspector, under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, to inspect public animals reported as unserviceable and which may be presented to him at Camp Wikoff, New York, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army.

19. The following transfers are made in the 13th Infantry:

Second Lieutenant *Harvey W. Miller*, from Company L to Company C;

Second Lieutenant *Alvan C. Read*, from Company M to Company G;

Second Lieutenant *Peyton G. Clark*, from Company C to Company L;

Second Lieutenant *George D. Arrowsmith*, from Company G to Company M.

20. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant

Secretary of War directs that the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, be, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect upon receipt of this order at the posts, and repair to their homes:

Sergeant *George Benson*, Battery C, 2d Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Sergeant *Peter McArdle*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, West Point, New York;

Private *Joseph Kretchner*, Troop C, 2d Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *John Brown*, Company A, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journeys are necessary for the public service.

21. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Fred H. Zurfluh*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 100, 1st Army Corps, August 14, 1898, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

22. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *C. C. Salter*, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 151, 1st Army Corps, September 5, 1898, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

23. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Joseph W. Good*, 7th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 83, 2d Army Corps, August 25, 1898, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

24. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Nathan M. Flower*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

25. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Samuel R. Whittall*, 16th Infantry, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

26. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Francis D. Patterson*, assistant surgeon, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

27. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *B. Franklin Cross*, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 82, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, August 28, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Powell Clayton, jr.*, 5th Cavalry, will proceed to the City of Mexico, Mexico, and resume his duties as military attaché of the U. S. Legation at that capital. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles E. Maxfield*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Luther H. Peck*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;
Second Lieutenant *Edmund C. Shields*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

31. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles J. T. Clarke*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 8, August 23, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

32. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Austin H. Brown*, Adjutant, 4th Infantry.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William O. Johnson*, 2d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from recruiting service at Ashland, Kentucky, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. First Lieutenant *Charles F. Crain*, 15th U. S. Infantry (Company M), recently promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 19th Infantry, and now in New York City, will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles F. Crain*, 15th U. S. Infantry.

36. The leave of absence granted Captain *Harvey C. Carbaugh*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in

Special Orders, No. 65, August 12, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

37. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Alfred M. Hunter*, 4th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 9, August 24, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John W. Thomas*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Peter C. Hains*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to and take station at Baltimore, Maryland, reporting by letter to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles H. Fischer*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Detroit, Michigan, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Arthur F. Cosby*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty with that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the President, Major *William M. Abernethy*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 20, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frederick W. Fabricius*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer, Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant

Surgeon *John R. Devereux*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Leiter U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, to take effect upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, and will then proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer, Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John D. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Wadsworth, New York, and will proceed to Mount Gretna, Pennsylvania, and there await further orders pertaining to the muster out of Pennsylvania Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles M. Gandy*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Tampa, Florida, and will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Edward C. Carey*, 16th Infantry.

48. The leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Jacob H. Smith*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 185, August 8, 1898, from this office, is extended one month.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month, with permission to apply for an extension of one month, is granted Major *Culver C. Sniffen*, U. S. Army.

50. The leave of absence granted Captain *Walter S. Scott*, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 11, August 26, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

51. Leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *Robert S. Thompson*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

52. The leave of absence granted Major *Gustave W. S. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, in Special Orders, No. 190, August 13, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days.

53. Leave of absence for one month is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank Donaldson*, U. S. Army.

54. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harold L.*

Jackson, 22d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 11, August 30, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month.

55. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry G. Lyon*, 24th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles S. Riché*, Corps of Engineers, upon being mustered out of service as Lieutenant Colonel, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will report by letter to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, for duty under his orders, to take station at Galveston, Texas, and relieve Major *James B. Quinn*, Corps of Engineers, of all works belonging to the Galveston Engineer District which were in charge of Lieutenant *Riché* previous to their transfer by him to Major *Quinn*, together with all money and property appertaining thereto. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as relates to 2d Lieutenant *William Lassiter*, 1st U. S. Artillery, is amended to read 1st Lieutenant *William Lassiter*, 1st U. S. Artillery.

58. First Lieutenant *Edward T. Winston*, Adjutant, 19th U. S. Infantry, now in Detroit, Michigan, on sick leave, will proceed to join his regiment in Porto Rico. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Joseph Wheeler, jr.*, 4th U. S. Artillery, will report in person, in due time, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., September 20, 1898, for the examination of Lieutenants of the line, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and, upon the completion of his examination, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey from New York City to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Anita N. McGee*, U. S. Army, under telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Marshall M. Cloud*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on sick leave of absence at Atlanta, Georgia, will proceed to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and report in person to Major *Blair D. Taylor*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in charge of U. S. General Hospital at that post, for temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, acting assistant surgeon *James S. Kennedy*, U. S. Army, upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed from Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *George Robinson*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty on the Hospital Ship "Relief," and will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and resume his station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Winn*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 200, August 25, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

65. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Major *Lewis Schooler*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

66. First Lieutenant *George E. Stockle*, Quartermaster, 8th Cavalry, now at Fort Robinson, Nebraska, will proceed to Fort Meade, South Dakota, and report to his regimental commander for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. The following transfers are made in the 8th Cavalry:

First Lieutenant *Charles C. Walcutt, jr.*, from Troop D to Troop I;

First Lieutenant *Charles W. Farber*, from Troop I to Troop D.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 215. } Washington, September 12, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Franz W. R. Frederick*, Military Academy Detachment of Field Musicians, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Company A, 8th Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George H. Marshall*, Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 3d Army Corps, now supposed to be at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Stewards *William A. McGuire* and *William A. Norton* (appointed September 7, 1898), now at Santiago, Cuba, will report to the general commanding the Department of Santiago, Cuba, for duty.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles C. Spear*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States on September 15, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Claudius A. Summers*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States on November 1, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Thompson*, Troop F, 3d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lonie C. Wyatt*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

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8. Private *Cornelius Snedden*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, now at Sheridans Point, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William A. Rappelye*, Company F, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 206, September 1, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Sergeant *John Green*, Company K, 13th Infantry, is revoked.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *John Green*, Company K, 13th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to the General Service, and will be sent to Fort Slocum, New York, for duty with the recruit detachment at that post. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

12. Private *Harry E. Apple*, Troop D, 7th Cavalry, now at Fort Duchesne, Utah, is transferred to Company K, 15th Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Logan, Colorado.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward S. Choate*, Company —, 12th Infantry, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

14. Private *Augustus Fink*, Company I, 15th Infantry, now at Fort Logan, Colorado, is transferred to the 2d Cavalry. He will report to the commanding officer of the post for duty with the detachment of the 2d Cavalry now at that station.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Emil T. Johnson*, Company C, 12th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Luke McDermott*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry,

now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 3d Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William H. Forwood*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will return to his proper station at the U. S. Soldiers' Home, Washington, District of Columbia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert L. Howze*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 6th U. S. Cavalry), will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Fort Myer, Virginia, on official business pertaining to the transfer of records, property, and funds to his successor as Adjutant of the 6th U. S. Cavalry, and, upon completion of that duty, will join his proper station, West Point, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the President, Major *Campbell E. McMichael*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 1, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Simon P. Kramer*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. First Lieutenant *Chester B. White*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 211, September 7, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Benjamin L. Ten Eyck*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is revoked, and he will proceed at once to Fort Riley, Kansas, and report in person to the commanding offi-

cer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the President, paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 210, September 6, 1898, from this office, relating to *Edward Martin*, late Major and brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles E. V. Kennon*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, to North Easton, Massachusetts, and await orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frank M. Hammond*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, and there pay the 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, and, on completion of this duty, will return to this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. The leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur D. Snyder*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 206, September 1, 1898, from this office, is extended twenty days.

27. The leave of absence granted Major *Graham D. Fitch*, Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 66, August 13, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Spencer Cosby*, Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from his present duties in Porto Rico, and will proceed to and take station at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Charles W. Raymond*, Corps of Engineers, for duty under his immediate orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Frederick H. Bugher*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

30. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted Major *John W. Barker*, Chief Ordnance Officer, U. S. Volunteers.

31. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, September 12, 1898.*

By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Con-

gress approved July 13, 1892, Captain *George K. McGunnegle*, 15th Infantry, is detailed on temporary duty as Acting Indian Agent at the San Carlos Agency, Arizona Territory, to succeed 1st Lieutenant *Sedgwick Rice*, 7th Cavalry, who has been relieved at his own request, to take effect upon transfer of the Agency property and funds to his successor. Captain *McGunnegle*, upon his arrival at the Agency, will report at once by telegraph to the Secretary of the Interior for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,
Acting Secretary of War.

32. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Alfred E. Hunt*, Battery B, Pennsylvania Volunteer Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 39, paragraph 3, 1st Army Corps, Guayama, Porto Rico, August 14, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

33. The leave of absence granted Captain *James E. Brett*, 24th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 161, July 11, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

34. Private *George Erwin*, Company G, 14th Infantry, now supposed to be in hospital at Camp Merritt, San Francisco, California, is transferred to Battery E, 3d Artillery. He will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Mason, California, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael Buckley*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, now at West Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward A. Katz*, Troop E, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Guy W. Stewart*, Hospital Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward K. Armstrong*, Band, 1st Cavalry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the

service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter M. Shoemaker*, Company —, 17th Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *S. W. Perry*, Hospital Corps, now at Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John H. Young*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Wingate, New Mexico, will be sent to Holbrook, Arizona Territory, for duty as operator in charge of the military telegraph office at that station.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ernest E. Ware*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be with the Hospital Train at Tampa, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Watson C. McWilliams*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel M. McLean*, Battery B, 2d Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *J. T. McDermott*, now at Fort Missoula, Montana, is transferred to Fort Stevens, Oregon. He will be sent at once to that post and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Godfrey Borg*, Detachment Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company D, 8th Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Camp Wikoff,

Montauk Point, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John N. Kelly*, Hospital Corps, now at the General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George A. Busch*, Company G, 18th Infantry, now supposed to be in the Department of the Pacific, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Allen H. Beaman*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States, October 1, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

50. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edward L. Patterson*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 54, Camp Black, New York, September 5, 1898, is extended one month.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edward L. Patterson*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States at his own request, to take effect October 12, 1898.

52. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Hubbard Williams*, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 67, 2d Army Corps, August 23, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Edward Luikhart*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

54. The travel performed by the following-named officers of the Pay Department, U. S. Army, from Santiago, Cuba, to Montauk Point, New York, on the steamer "Orizaba," under telegraphic instructions of August 25, 1898, from this office, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service:

Major *Francis S. Dodge*, paymaster, U. S. Army;

Major *George B. Guild*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *George E. Pickett*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Samuel S. Harvey*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *John H. Townsend*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *George D. Sherman*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *George H. Fay*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Eugene Coffin*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Samuel D. C. Hays*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Henry B. May*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

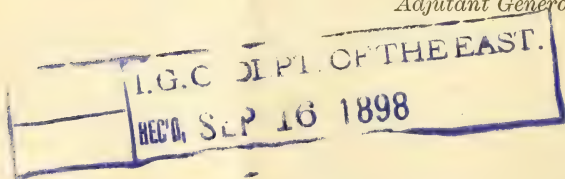
55. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Charles S. Fowler*, U. S. Army, is relieved by the Secretary of War from further duty at Searcy College, Searcy, Arkansas.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John Bigelow, jr.*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Haines Falls, New York, on sick leave, will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. The ordinary leave of absence granted Major *Samuel M. Mills*, 6th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 193, August 26, 1898, Department of the East, is changed to a leave of absence on account of sickness, and extended to include September 30, 1898, on account of sickness.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 216. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 13, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John Kennedy*, Signal Corps, now in this city, will be sent to Omaha, Nebraska. He will report, upon his arrival there, to the commanding officer of the Signal Corps detachment for duty in connection with the Signal Corps exhibit at the Trans-Mississippi Exposition.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 60, Special Orders, No. 170, July 21, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, in the case of Private *William E. Gividen*, 2d Infantry, unassigned, is revoked.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank A. McComber*, Troop C, 6th Cavalry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry C. Knapp*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. Recruits *Emile Genireux* and *William W. Thomas*, 7th Infantry, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, are transferred to the 9th Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Madison Barracks, New York, for assignment to a company.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 70, Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as relates to Private *John Janson*, Battery E, 6th Artillery, is revoked.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Hanson*, Battery E, 6th Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Ordnance Sergeant *Edwin Bickford* (appointed September 12, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Battery L 2d Artillery), will be sent from Fort Schuyler, New York, to Fort Hamilton, New York, and will

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report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Woerz*, Company —, 22d Infantry, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert H. Jennings*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, Sheridans Point, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John P. Wilson*, Hospital Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, is transferred to Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, at that station.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *James M. Marshall*, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will proceed at once to Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *Joseph C. Breckinridge*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty as Chief Quartermaster. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, September 13, 1898.*

Private *John Steward*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, having been tried and found guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline by a general court-martial ordered to be convened at Key West Barracks, Florida, was sentenced, "*To be dishonorably discharged the service of the United States, forfeiting all pay and allowances due him.*"

By direction of the President, the sentence is approved and will be duly executed.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,
Acting Secretary of War.

14. The resignation of 2d Lieutenant *James M. A. Darrach*, U. S. Infantry (11th Regiment), has been accepted by the President, to take effect September 24, 1898.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Harry Clement*, 21st U. S. Infantry (recently promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 22d U. S. Infantry), now at Callands, Virginia, upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence will proceed to Plattsburg Barracks, New York, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. Leave of absence for one month, with permission to apply for an extension of one month, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Isaac C. Jenks*, 24th Infantry.

17. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *William L. Hughes*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

18. Leave of absence on account of sickness from August 12, 1898, to September 23, 1898, inclusive, is granted 2d Lieutenant *William A. Zuehlke*, 2d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Thomas E. Jackson*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Frank Maier*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Major *Henry Wallace*, surgeon, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Charles H. Coburn*, Company A, Battalion Nevada Volunteer Infantry.

21. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank M. Biggs*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 87, August 26, 1898, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is extended one month on account of sickness.

22. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *John J. Kennedy*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 196, paragraph 31, August 20, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William A. Purdy*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, accompanied by his authorized clerk and Mr. H. S. Hostetter, paymaster's clerk, will proceed to Fort McHenry, Maryland, and there pay the 5th Maryland Volunteer Infantry and other troops at that post on muster of August 31, 1898, and, on completion of that duty, will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service,

24. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *Frederick B. Shaw*, 5th Infantry.

25. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *John W. Dillenback*, 2d Artillery.

26. The leave of absence granted Major *John A. Logan*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 6, August 21, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

27. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability, granted 2d Lieutenant *Thomas A. Roberts*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in paragraph 61, Special Orders, No. 192, August 16, 1898, from this office, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

28. Second Lieutenant *Thomas A. Roberts*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed from Springfield, Illinois, to Montauk Point, New York, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles A. Smylie*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to his home, and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert J. C. Irvine*, 11th Infantry, now in this city, will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, on official business pertaining to stores on board the steamship "Panama," and, upon the completion thereof, will return to this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. The resignation of 2d Lieutenant *Edwin C. Hoyt*, U. S. Infantry (11th Regiment), has been accepted by the President, to take effect September 30, 1898.

32. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George J. Godfrey*, 22d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

33. Captain *Willson Y. Stamper*, 8th U. S. Infantry, upon being relieved from his present duties at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Simon Snyder*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Fort Wayne, Michigan, and upon his arrival there will report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. So much of paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 210, September 6, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges 1st Lieutenant *Jacob Schweitzer*, Quartermaster, as of the 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read, 1st U. S. Volunteer Cavalry.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William P. Williams*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to New York City, New York, on public business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, and, upon the completion thereof, will repair to Newport News, Virginia, and resume his duties as Quartermaster in charge of the steamer "Panama." The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Pay Department are made:

Major *Francis S. Dodge*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Montauk Point, and will proceed to, and take station in, New York City, New York, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the East, for duty, and by letter to the commanding general of that department;

Major *John P. Baker*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to and take station at St. Louis, Missouri, and report by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Platte, and to the chief paymaster of that department;

Majors *George B. Guild*, *George E. Pickett*, *George H. Fay*, *Samuel D. C. Hays*, and *Henry B. May*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, are relieved from duty at Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to and take station at Chicago, Illinois, and report by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes, and to the chief paymaster of that department;

Majors *Samuel S. Harvey*, *George D. Sherman*, and *John H. Townsend*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, are relieved from duty at Montauk Point, and will proceed to and take station in New York City, New York, and report in

person to the chief paymaster, Department of the East, for duty, and by letter to the commanding general of that department;

Majors *George W. Fishback* and *Eugene Coffin*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, are relieved from duty at Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Paymaster General of the Army for duty in his office.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Arthur Thayer*, 3d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 8, August 23, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *John W. Thomas*, U. S. Army, is amended to direct him to proceed to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for instructions, instead of reporting to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John W. Thomas*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *J. Morris Brown*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, to embark on first transport to Ponce, Porto Rico, and, upon arrival there, will report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *Frederick W. Pierce*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

42. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Chaplain *W. K. Weaver*, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 185, August 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Gustin T. Fitzhugh*, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant

Wilbur F. Barber, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Arthur E. Lewis*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 16, 1898.

46. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Berkeley Enochs*, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 37, September 6, 1898, 2d Division, 5th Army Corps, is extended seven days.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *H. W. Elliot* and *R. C. Halcomb*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Robert A. Rogers*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, to date from July 21, 1898.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the manufacture of ammunition for the Ordnance Department, and, on completion of this duty, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits during the month of September, 1898, to the Dittmar Powder Works, Farmingdale, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the inspection of gun powder and gun cotton in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and, on completion of that duty, will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 206, September 1, 1898, amending paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 171, July 22, 1898, from this office, by striking out Dunn Loring, Virginia, as one of the important depots at which officers of the Subsistence Department are assigned to duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, is revoked.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *John Little*, Subsistence Department, his authorized clerk and Commissary Sergeant *John Grove*, U. S. Army, is revoked.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 53, Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *Patrick H. McCaull*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, to assume the duties of Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Dunn Loring, Virginia, is revoked, and he will report in person to Major *John Little*, Subsistence Department, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty as an assistant in his office.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Loveland*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Frank E. Nye*, Subsistence Department, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty as an assistant in his office.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War Major *Philip F. Harvey*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now on sick leave of absence at Fort Wadsworth, New York, will proceed to Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ashton B. Heyl*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on sick leave of absence at Hyde Park, Cincinnati, Ohio, will proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and report in person to Major *William R. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army, for assignment to duty in the U. S. General Hospital at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Benjamin C. Boothby*, Company B, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Raymond Christopher*, Company L, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Tilston D. Spring*, Company L, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lonnie O. Newman*, Company B, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Samuel E. Edmondson*, Company A, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph H. Easterday*, Company C, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William M. Webster*, Company H, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George O. Brosnahan* and Private *Leslie E. Brooks*, Company H, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles C. Schley*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Arthur Bassett*, Company M, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank E. Lemon*, Company H, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. The resignation of 2d Lieutenant *Lyman M. Bass*, U. S. Artillery (3d Regiment), has been accepted by the President, to take effect September 20, 1898.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *W. T. Beatty*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter R. Dashiell*, Troop I, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Privates *Floyd S. Austin*, Company A, *Gilbert E. Youmans* and *John R. Wickes*, Company M, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Richard L. Sutton*, Company B, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

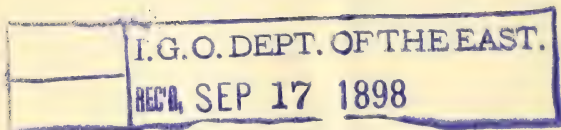
These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George Montgomery*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, is detailed as a member of the board of officers appointed by paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from

this office, to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, for conference with officers who were at Santiago, Cuba, concerning the action in active service of certain arms and ammunition, *vice* 1st Lieutenant *George W. Burr*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, hereby relieved.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 217. } Washington, September 14, 1898.

1. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Reynolds J. Burt*, 25th Infantry, aid-de-camp, is extended ten days.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Isaac P. Ware*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Benicia Barracks, California, and assigned to duty at the Presidio of San Francisco, California.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William H. Arthur*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, commanding U. S. Hospital Ship "Missouri," will proceed to this city on official business pertaining to the Medical Department of the Army, and on completion of that duty will return to New York City, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John G. Davis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Montauk Point, New York, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 80, Special Orders, No. 212, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, September 8, 1898, directing the honorable muster out of the service of the United States of 2d Lieutenant *Albert W. Foreman*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, having been issued under a misapprehension, is revoked.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Clyde D. V. Hunt*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty as Assistant Quartermaster under his direction.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank H. Poole*, Troop F, 5th Cavalry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 9, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John A. Loughran*, Troop C, 5th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama,

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will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Edward See*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Davis Freeman*, Adjutant, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John M. Rogers*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John J. Broderick*, assistant surgeon, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *F. L. V. Hoppin*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Melville C. Wall*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Winsor P. French*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

10. The extension of the sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William H. Camfield, jr.*, 1st New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 80, August 12, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Lee Brock*, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 15, 1898.

12. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Arthur J. Gallagher*, 5th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 77, August 16, 1898, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is extended one month on account of sickness.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Everett J. Pickering*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Gustave L. Ravene*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, now at Willets Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herbert M. McConathy*, Hospital Corps, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward W. Winfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is relieved from duty with the Signal Service at Santiago, Cuba, and will proceed at once to New York City, New York, and report for duty with the 9th Signal Corps Company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *G. Wyeth Cook*, U. S. Army, in addition to his present duties, is assigned to duty as examiner of recruits in this city.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Edgar S. Dudley*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the 2d Army Corps, and will report in person, upon the completion of his present duties, to the Judge Advocate General of the Army, for duty in his office.

19. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas Y. Aby*, U. S. Army.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Fredrick W. Hyde*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will make such journeys between Camp George G. Meade, Middletown, and Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, as may be necessary on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the President, Major *Charles A. Smylie*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United

States by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 14, 1898.

22. Leave of absence from September 14 to September 30, 1898, is granted Captain *Sydney B. Williamson*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

23. Captain *Sydney B. Williamson*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 30, 1898.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Robert S. Smith*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, now on temporary duty at Santiago, Cuba, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the Gulf, and will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty, with station at Santiago, Cuba.

25. The leave of absence granted Major *William M. Bemus*, surgeon, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 90, August 23, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *Edwin E. King*, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 15, 1898;

Captain *James Plunket*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *H. Silverman*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Albert M. McGee*, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

27. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Harry H. Pattison*, 3d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 7, August 22, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is changed to a leave of absence on account of sickness and extended ten days on account of sickness.

28. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Hollis C. Clark*, Quartermaster, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 9, August 24, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month, on account of sickness, with permission to apply for a further extension if necessary.

29. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant

C. G. Wherritt, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

30. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *David M. Caldwell*, Battalion Adjutant, 5th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 76, August 15, 1898, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is still further extended one month and ten days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month, with permission to visit Havana, Cuba, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Carlos F. Carbonel*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, aid-de-camp.

32. The verbal orders of August 19, 1898, directing Lieutenant Colonel *Arthur L. Wagner*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army, to await orders in this city for the convenience of the Government, are confirmed by the Secretary of War.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Sterling P. Adams*, 1st Cavalry, is detailed as recorder of the examining board appointed to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, by Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, *vice* 1st Lieutenant *Richard B. Paddock*, 6th Cavalry, who is hereby relieved.

34. By direction of the President, Captain *Warner Harrison*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Clement A. F. Flagler*, Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City, New York, to this city, and report in person to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person, without delay, to Lieutenant Colonel *Charles D. Viele*, 1st Cavalry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, by Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion:

Captain *Charles Morton*, 3d Cavalry;
 Captain *George S. Anderson*, 6th Cavalry;
 Captain *Clarence A. Stedman*, 9th Cavalry;
 Captain *Thomas B. Dugan*, 7th Cavalry;
 First Lieutenant *Tyree R. Rivers*, 3d Cavalry;
 First Lieutenant *Henry T. Allen*, 2d Cavalry (Major and
 Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers);
 First Lieutenant *John W. Heard*, 3d Cavalry;
 First Lieutenant *Robert C. Williams*, 7th Cavalry;
 Second Lieutenant *Frank A. Barton*, 10th Cavalry;
 Second Lieutenant *Robert Sewell*, 7th Cavalry (Captain and
 Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers).

Upon the completion of his examination, Lieutenant *Allen* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *George A. Milsom*, Company B, 19th Infantry, now in Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas J. Graham*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph A. Maloney*, Company K, 17th Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis Brechemin, jr.*, Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John G. Boughner*, Troop F, 4th Cavalry, Boise Barracks, Idaho, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private

James C. Thomas, Battery G, 1st Artillery, now at Ardmore, Indian Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Frederick Thorne* and *Walter Thorne*, Troop A, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their regiment. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Wildman*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, now at Sheridans Point, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles H. Martin*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is relieved from duty at Huntsville, Alabama, and will proceed at once to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty with the 3d Volunteer Signal Corps Company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Stephen W. Groesbeck*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty with the 5th Army Corps, and will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Judge Advocate of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 218. } Washington, September 15, 1898.

1. Privates *John B. Barber* and *James F. McKinley*, Company I, 8th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, having reported to the Adjutant General, U. S. Army, in compliance with Special Orders, No. 8, Headquarters Provisional Division, Porto Rico, August 23, 1898, are, by authority of the Acting Secretary of War, ordered to be sent as follows:

Private *Barber*, to Cleveland, Ohio, and Private *McKinley*, to Canton, Ohio; each to report, by letter, upon arrival, to the commanding officer, 8th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, Columbus, Ohio.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance, at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

2. Sergeant *J. C. Murphy*, Company C; Privates *Mitchell Bundy*, Company A, and *J. E. Chastain*, Company I, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in Special Orders, No. 51, Headquarters Independent Division, 8th Army Corps, Camp Merriam, San Francisco, California, September 9, 1898, will return to their proper station with permission to delay as follows: Sergeant *Murphy*, two days; Privates *Bundy* and *Chastain*, seven days each.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for seven days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

3. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *John S. Windisch*, assistant surgeon, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 89, August 25, 1898, Headquarters 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, is still further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

4. The extension of sick leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *W. S. Davis*, assistant surgeon, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, is still further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

5. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George H. Estes, jr.*, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is extended one month and fifteen days on account of sickness.

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6. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *John M. Farra*, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Ordnance Sergeant *Frederick Semple*, now at Port Tampa City Ordnance Depot, Florida, will be sent to Ponce, Porto Rico. He will report for duty upon his arrival at that place to Major *Ormond M. Lissak*, U. S. Volunteers, Ordnance Department.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Theodore J. Gilson*, Battery A, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George L. Buist, jr.*, Hospital Corps, now at Niantic, Connecticut, is transferred to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York. He will be sent to that camp and will report upon his arrival to the commanding general at that place for duty.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Hans Bergh* and *Bud Moss*, Troop L, 2d Cavalry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, are transferred to the Hospital Corps as privates, and assigned to duty at that camp.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *William Grum*, now on furlough at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will, on expiration of furlough, or as soon as his health will permit, report to the commanding officer of that post to relieve Commissary Sergeant *August Niemann*;

Sergeant *Niemann*, when thus relieved, will be sent to his former station, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

12. The journey performed by Major *Frank M. Hammond*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, and his authorized clerk, September 7, 1898, from Washington, District of Columbia, *via* Fort Monroe to Camp Corbin, Virginia, to pay the 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, and their return to Washington, District of Columbia, *via* Richmond, Virginia, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Rufus M. Townsend*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as Commissary of Subsistence, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, and will proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to Camp George G. Meade, Middletown Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty as Chief Commissary of Subsistence of the 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, to relieve Captain *Abraham Benedict*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

Captain *Benedict*, upon being thus relieved, will report in person to Captain *Frederick W. Hyde*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, Depot Commissary at Camp George G. Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, for duty as an assistant in his office.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the President, Major *Charles Adams*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *George A. Garretson*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to his home and await orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. Private *Thomas Finley*, Battery H, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Light Battery C, 7th Artillery. He will be sent to Fort Slocum, New York, whence he will be forwarded to the station of his battery, Porto Rico.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Frederick W. Townsend* and Private *John C. Whitehead*, Battery G, 5th Artillery, now at recruiting station, No. 17 E. Trade street, Charlotte, North Carolina, are transferred to the Hospital Corps as privates. They will be sent to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and will report upon their arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty at the hospital.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herbert Thompson*, Hospital Corps, now at San Diego Barracks, California, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Henry Rodgers*, now at Fort Missoula, Montana, is transferred to Fort Keogh, Montana. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant *Henry H. Whiting*, 1st Florida Volunteers;

Sergeant *Frank M. Whiting*, Company H, and Corporal *Horace C. Avery*, Company E, 1st Florida Volunteers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Bernard Rhodes*, Company M, 12th Minnesota Volunteers;

Corporal *Herbert J. Cassidey*, Company E, 1st Florida Volunteers;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Eugene J. Gay*, Company D, 1st Florida Volunteers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Quartermaster Surgeon *Charles L. Carter*, Company L, 4th Missouri Volunteers;

Sergeant *Cornelius G. Comegys*, Company G, 3d Texas Volunteers;

Sergeant *B. Duvall Chambers*, Company —, 1st Maryland Volunteers;

Sergeant *Julian H. Speed*, Company A, Corporal *J. O. Phillips*, Company L, and Private *J. R. Lucy*, Company G, 2d Texas Volunteers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. The extension of leave of absence granted Chaplain *A. H. Barnes*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 192, paragraph 50, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 16, 1898, is extended to include September 15, 1898.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Chaplain *A. H. Barnes*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

25. Leave of absence for fourteen days is granted Major *George W. Moses*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

26. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Captain *Charles A. Worden*, 7th U. S. Infantry.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles C. McCullough*, Battery A, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, the ordinary leave of absence granted Captain *Charles D. Rhodes*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, for one month and fifteen days, in Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, is changed to a leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John J. Kiley*, Battery D, 7th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 7, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 8, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army:

Sergeant *Clifford Hastings*, Battery A, and Private *Everett M. Aten*, Battery I, 5th Artillery;

Sergeant *William P. Robb*, Battery B, 6th Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *George A. Nugent*, 4th U. S. Artillery, will, upon his muster out of the service of the United States as Captain, 3d U. S.

Volunteer Cavalry, proceed to join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert J. C. Irvine*, 11th Infantry, will proceed to Detroit, Michigan, for duty pertaining to the muster out of service of volunteer troops. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. Leave of absence for one month from September 5, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Benton Curtis*, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Marion P. Maus*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, Major *William H. Daly*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and Captain *Joseph B. Morton*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, Anniston, Alabama, Galveston, Texas, and Lexington, Kentucky, on official business pertaining to the inspection of the regiments of U. S. Volunteer Infantry stationed at those places, under such verbal instructions as may be given by the Major General Commanding the Army, and, upon completion of these duties, will return to their station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Theodore A. Baldwin*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, having relinquished the unexpired portion of his sick leave of absence, will proceed from this city to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. Second Lieutenant *Charles W. Lee*, 7th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

37. First Lieutenant *William W. Parker*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, to New York City, New York, and thence by the first transport to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty:

J. F. Hadley ;
H. B. Mohr ;
Charles D. Camp ;
H. P. Jones.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Francis S. Dodge*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will proceed to Atlanta, Georgia, on official business pertaining to the Pay Department of the Army, and, on completion of that duty, will return to his station, New York City, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Forrest H. Hathaway*, special inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed from his present station at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, *via* Washington, District of Columbia, to Tampa, Florida, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army; and he is hereby appointed special inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect public animals and other quartermaster supplies reported as unserviceable and which may be presented to him at Tampa, Florida. Upon the completion of this duty he will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named Commissary Sergeants are transferred from the stations designated after their respective names to Montauk Point, New York, and will report for duty upon their arrival to Major *John H. Duval*, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place:

George R. Kemp, Augusta Arsenal, Georgia;
Henry M. Lewis, Charleston, West Virginia;
John B. Wilson, Tybee Island, Georgia.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 15th Company, Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by their commanding officer:

Sergeant *Richard C. Toft*, Corporals *J. M. Quigley* and *Perry C. Harkless*, Privates *William Bennie*, *Edward L. Randall*, *Le Roy Rogers*, *B. O. Chapman*, *F. H. Shakespeare*, *Ralph L. Duff*, and *A. A. Chilcotte*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by their commanding officer:

Sergeant *William Lounsbury*; Corporal *Thomas E. Fagan*; Corporal *Alexander Y. Stilson*; Privates *Geo. B. Carrey*, *George W. Falls*, *Arthur J. Guyon*, *John Hanrahan*, *Chester C. Kent*, *Andred E. Kennedy*, *Robert M. Marshall*, *Theodore Bachman*, *Willard H. Stevens*, *John L. Sadler*, and *Frank E. Sidman*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at the places set opposite their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Ralph J. Day* and *John H. Loving*, 13th Company, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Corporal *Leonard W. Turbett*, 12th Company, Camp Poland, Tennessee;

Private *H. L. Alder*, 16th Company, supposed to be at Aniston, Alabama;

Private *John S. Brubaker*, 6th Company, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Samuel A. Walters*, 12th Company, Hamilton, Kentucky;

Private *M. J. Sullivan*, 12th Company, Lexington, Kentucky.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. Nunez*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, to New York City, New York, proceed on first transport to Santiago, Cuba, and, upon arrival there, will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the President, Captain *Fayette W. Roe*, 3d U. S. Infantry, is honorably discharged by the Secretary of War as Lieutenant Colonel and Judge Advocate of Volunteers, only, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

47. Leave of absence for ten days on account of sickness is granted Post Chaplain *Cephas C. Bateman*, U. S. Army.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month from the date of furlough of the 14th Signal Corps Company is granted 2d Lieutenant *Meldrum Gray*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *James H. McMillan*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Edward W. Rockafellow*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Alonza J. Crawford*, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Abner H. Bedell*, Quartermaster, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *David W. Porter*, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Winthrop Cowdin*, Battalion Adjutant, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Frank A. Reinhard*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Jacob S. Buist*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas K. Russell*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Walter P. Klein*, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

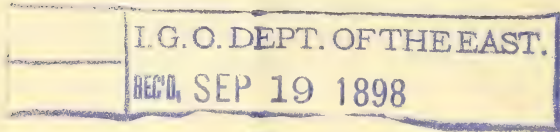
51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Jones S. Irvine*, Troop A, 3d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Harry Cassady*, *Morton F. Curran*, and *Jacob L. Harris*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

53. Leave of absence for ten days is granted Captain *Davis Elkins*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 219. Washington, September 16, 1898.

1. Private *William L. Farrell*, Company M, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, now in this city without means to join his regiment, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer of his regiment for duty. The cost of transportation will be charged against the soldier on the next pay-roll of his company.

2. Corporal *John P. Watkins* and Private *James Owen*, Company A, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now in this city without means to join their regiment, will be sent to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer of their regiment for duty. The cost of transportation will be charged against the soldiers on the next pay-roll of their company.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph W. Reddy*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Ackerman*, Battery K, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Totten, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Manning*, Company —, 1st Infantry, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ralph A. Hayt*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, now supposed to be at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Chaims*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will be

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discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *John J. Emge*, Battery C, and *Henry L. Bennett*, Battery D, 4th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *Boss Fuller*, Battery E, 6th Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Zeb V. Howard*, Battery H, 6th Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Henry T. Hill*, Company —, 2d Infantry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

9. Private *Stephen A. Naugle*, Battery H, 1st Artillery, now at Fort Pickens, Florida, is transferred to Battery L, 2d Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Schuyler, New York.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William H. Lamar*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Washington, District of Columbia, and carry out such special instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. The following assignments of officers to regiments, by the Secretary of War, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, are announced:

1st Lieutenant *George W. Cole* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 7th Cavalry), to the 1st Cavalry, Troop L, to date from August 23, 1898, vice *Osborne*, deceased;

Colonel *William M. Wherry* (promoted from Lieutenant Colonel, 2d Infantry), to the 8th Infantry, to date from August 30, 1898, vice *Van Horn*, deceased;

Lieutenant Colonel *James M. J. Sanno* (promoted from Major, 3d Infantry), to the 4th Infantry, to date from August 11, 1898, vice *Bainbridge*, retired;

Lieutenant Colonel *William S. McCaskey* (promoted from Major, 20th Infantry), to the 2d Infantry, to date from August 30, 1898, vice *Wherry*, promoted;

Major *Edmund Rice* (promoted from Captain, 5th Infantry) to the 3d Infantry, to date from August 11, 1898, vice *Sanno*, promoted;

Major *Charles G. Penney* (promoted from Captain, 6th Infantry), to the 8th Infantry, to date from August 15, 1898, vice *Conrad*, deceased;

Major *William H. H. Crowell* (promoted from Captain, 6th Infantry), to the 11th Infantry, to date from August 22, 1898, vice *Gilbreath*, deceased. He will proceed to join his regiment in Porto Rico.

Major *George W. H. Stouch* (promoted from Captain, 3d Infantry), to the 20th Infantry, to date from August 30, 1898, vice *McCaskey*, promoted;

Captain *James A. Goodin* (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 7th Infantry), to the 25th Infantry, to date from May 2, 1898, vice *Hill*, deceased. The regimental commander will assign Captain *Goodin* to a company.

Captain *Charles L. Collins* (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 11th Infantry), to the 23d Infantry, Company I, to date from May 27, 1898, vice *Heyl*, appointed Major and Assistant Adjutant General;

First Lieutenant *Robert S. Offley* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 10th Infantry), to the 7th Infantry, Company I, to date from May 2, 1898, vice *Goodin*, promoted. He will proceed to join his regiment upon the expiration of his present leave of absence.

First Lieutenant *Edgar F. Koehler* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 9th Infantry), to the 14th Infantry, Company B, to date from May 12, 1898, vice *Little*, appointed Captain, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Murray Baldwin* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 18th Infantry), to the 11th Infantry, Company F, to date from May 27, 1898, vice *Collins*, promoted. He will remain on duty with the 18th Infantry until further orders.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

Colonel *George M. Randall*, from the 17th Infantry to the 8th Infantry;

Colonel *William M. Wherry*, from the 8th Infantry to the 17th Infantry.

Colonel *Wherry* will proceed to join his regiment at Columbus Barracks, Ohio. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry W. Ritter*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Greble, Rhode Island, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

14. Musician *George Fitzwilliams*, Company B, 15th Infantry, now at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, is transferred to Troop M, 7th Cavalry, at that post.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Harry Lee*, Company E, 2d Infantry, now on furlough in this city, having satisfactorily explained to the Department that his true name is *William F. Ullrich*, will be borne under the latter name on all rolls, returns, etc., of his command after this date.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James E. Smith*, Troop A, 6th Cavalry, now on furlough at No. 101 Eleventh street NE., in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John E. Morris*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be in camp at Coamo, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Stephen Casey*, Company B, 18th Infantry, now supposed to be in the Department of the Pacific, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John N. Larkin*, Battery H, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Bert F. Lewis*, Battery K, 5th Artillery, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, No. 156 North Buckeye street, Kokomo, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, who will for-

ward the discharge papers to the above address. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Dennis M. Howley*, 2d Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the recruiting officer, No. 220, Walker Building, Worcester, Massachusetts, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles M. Truitt*, 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, and upon the mutual application of the officers concerned, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *John F. Preston, jr.*, from the 7th U. S. Infantry to the 16th U. S. Infantry, Company E;

First Lieutenant *Albert B. Donworth*, from the 16th U. S. Infantry to the 7th U. S. Infantry.

Lieutenant *Donworth* will proceed to join the 7th U. S. Infantry, and the regimental commander will assign him to a company.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jesse M. Baker*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will take passage on the Steamer "Panama," and proceed therewith on its trip to Porto Rico and return, assume charge thereof, and perform such duties pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department as may be necessary. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. The journey performed by Lieutenant Colonel *Theodore A. Baldwin*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, between September 8 and 11, 1898, from this city to Chickamauga, Georgia, and return to Washington, District of Columbia, on official business pertaining to the purchase of horses for the 10th U. S. Cavalry, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

26. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Orrin R. Wolfe*, 22d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, August 28, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Oscar Gammage*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Edwin Carson*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report to Captain *G. R. Gyger*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that post for duty.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George F. Campbell*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be with the Hospital Train at Atlanta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Manuel Ericks*, Company —, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas T. Wight*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be with the Hospital Train at Atlanta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. The leave of absence for ten days granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles O. Brokan*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, from Headquarters 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, August 31, 1898, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Henry C. Moore*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

34. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Dell W. Stinchcomb*, 7th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 70, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, August 26, 1898, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Patrick H. McCaull*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and will

proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, Purchasing Commissary in that city, for duty as an assistant in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, and upon the mutual application of the officers concerned, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

Captain *William Quinton*, from the 7th U. S. Infantry to the 25th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *James A. Goodin*, from the 25th U. S. Infantry to the 7th U. S. Infantry, Company K.

The commanding officer, 25th U. S. Infantry, will assign Captain *Quinton* to a company.

37. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Russell E. Burdick*, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *Thomas J. Srover*, Reserve Ambulance Corps, is revoked.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles A. Hiteshu*, Company B, 17th Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *William J. Blake*, *Fred A. Holmes*, and *Robert McComb Kerr*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred Brewington*, Company A, 10th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at 1st Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at that station the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *John W. Stublely* is transferred from duty at Dunn Loring, Virginia, and will be sent to Camp George

G. Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report for duty, upon his arrival, to Captain *Frederick W. Hyde*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, Depot Commissary at that place.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Saddler *William Boyd*, Troop D, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James B. Truett*, Troop E, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *William P. Williams*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, upon arrival at Newport News, Virginia, in accordance with paragraph 36, Special Orders, No. 216, September 13, 1898, from this office, will transfer his property responsibility on the steamer "Panama" to Captain *Jesse M. Baker*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, and, upon completion thereof, will return to this city, and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further instructions. His previous orders herein referred to are amended accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Samuel Baird*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed to Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty as Assistant Quartermaster.

47. Leave of absence for one month from the date of furlough of the 14th Signal Corps Company is granted the following-named officers:

Captain *Charles T. McIntire*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

First Lieutenant *Williamson S. Wright*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

First Lieutenant *Rollo B. Oglesbee*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Second Lieutenant *Merchant H. Baldwin*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

48. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted Major *Edgar B. Robertson*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

49. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William J. Glasgow*, 2d Cavalry, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 89, August 25, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 20, Special Orders, No. 176, July 28, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *Robert S. Brooks*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, to proceed to San Francisco, California, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, for duty with the battalion of his regiment stationed in that Department, is revoked, and he will proceed, without delay, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of his regiment, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. First Lieutenant *Robert H. Ramsay*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now sick at Clarksburg, West Virginia, will proceed as soon as practicable to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and there join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Euclid B. Frick*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Fort Wadsworth, New York, for duty at that post, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East.

53. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Major *Sumner H. Lincoln*, 10th Infantry.

54. First Lieutenant *George F. Milton*, 6th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ralph S. Davis*, Company B, 5th Massachusetts Volunteers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Bernard M. Spruce*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteers;

Private *Frank W. Curtis*, Company G, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Thomas Gimperling*, Company G, 3d Ohio Volunteers;

Corporal *Charles F. Clyde*, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Edward M. Neal*, *Henry G. Walker*, and *John S. Pollock*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *Frank C. McIntosh*, from Fort Slocum, New York, to Montauk Point, New York, for duty on U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," to relieve Commissary Sergeant *Hubert Franklin*;

Sergeant *Franklin*, when thus relieved, to Fort Slocum, New York.

The Sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Daniel H. Rice*, Company D, 2d Louisiana Volunteers, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Benjamin F. Hambleton*, Company B, 7th Ohio Volunteers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *James E. Murphy*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

First Sergeant *Charles S. Cummings*, Company E, 2d South Carolina Volunteers;

Sergeant *Clarence Strouse*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteers;

Private *James Williams*, Company A, 1st Florida Volunteers;

Private *William A. Rhea*, Company K, 3d Tennessee Volunteers;

Private *Hans Hunecke*, Company L, 49th Iowa Volunteers;

Corporal *E. J. Giddings*, Company G, 3d Texas Volunteers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Hugh C. Aiken*, Company C, 6th Pennsylvania Volunteers;

Corporal *Edward R. Robson*, Company H, 5th Massachusetts Volunteers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. T. Harris*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, by Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *Marshall W. Wood*, surgeon, U. S. Army, who is hereby relieved.

64. The leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Richard Comba*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 10, August 25, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is changed to leave of absence on account of sickness and extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

65. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Mathew E. Saville*, 10th Infantry, is extended two months on account of sickness.

66. Captain *Charles A. McCoy*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direc-

tion of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 30, 1898.

67. By direction of the President, Major *Nelson H. Henry*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 24, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ira MacNutt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed six visits to Birdsboro, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the manufacture of rapid-fire guns for the Ordnance Department, and, upon the completion thereof, will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. F. McClendon*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to this city, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Ira B. Phillips*, Battery B, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery, now at Fort Rodman, New Bedford, Massachusetts, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. He will be sent to Fort Constitution, New Hampshire, and report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty at the hospital.

71. With the approval of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Benjamin M. Purssell*, 19th U. S. Infantry, now in Buffalo, New York, on sick leave, will proceed, not later than September 30, 1898, *via* New York City, to join his regiment in Porto Rico. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Veterinary Surgeon *William V. Lusk*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, will proceed from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Ashtabula, Ohio, and report thence by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Veterinary Surgeon *William V. Lusk*, 2d U. S. Cavalry.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry W. Sprague*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, in Special Orders, No. 211, September 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended ten days on account of sickness.

75. The leave of absence granted Captain *John J. Brereton*, 24th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 159, July 8, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

76. Second Lieutenant *Nathan K. Averill*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty with the 6th U. S. Cavalry, and will proceed to join his troop. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Louis W. Crampton*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and, upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to and resume his station at Fort McHenry, Maryland, to relieve Major *Charles K. Winne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, from temporary duty at that post.

Upon being thus relieved, Major *Winne* will proceed to Fort Crook, Nebraska, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *George Dock*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *George B. Lawrason*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to New Orleans, Louisiana, and, on arrival there, will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis Lieber*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Clinch, Florida, and will proceed to St. Francis Barracks, Florida, and report in person to the commanding officer of

that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 49, Special Orders, No. 139, June 14, 1898, from this office, is amended by the substitution of the name of Captain *Charles H. Clark*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, for that of 1st Lieutenant (now Captain) *Edwin B. Babbitt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *G. H. Fonde*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Mobile, Alabama, and, upon arrival there, will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James Reagles*, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from Newport News, Virginia, to Plattsburg Barracks, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Louis L. Gilman*, U. S. Army, will proceed at once to New York City, New York, and there take first transport for Ponce, Porto Rico, and upon arrival there will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the President, Captain *George W. Nellis*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 61, Special Orders, No. 172, July 23, 1898, from this office, as relates to 2d Lieutenant *Harry H. Stout*, 6th Cavalry, is amended so as to direct him to return to his proper station upon the completion of his examination for transfer to the Ordnance Department by the board which will assemble at the Army Building, New York City, September 20, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the Pay Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Manila, Philippine Islands, to San Francisco, California, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, and to the chief paymaster of that department for duty:

Major *Charles E. Kilbourne*, paymaster, U. S. Army;

Major *Henry C. Fitzgerald*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Herbert M. Lord*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. Major *George G. Greenough*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty at Sheridan Point, Virginia, and will report by telegraph to the Commanding General, Department of the East, for assignment to a station, and proceed to join the station to which he may be assigned. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John A. Harman*, 6th Cavalry, now on leave of absence at Fort Myer, Virginia, will remain on duty there for such period as may be necessary to adjust his responsibilities as Quartermaster of that post.

90. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank S. Howard*, Battery H, 1st Artillery, now at Fort Pickens, Florida, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

91. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Wendell L. Simpson*, from the 9th U. S. Infantry to the 14th U. S. Infantry, Company B;

First Lieutenant *Edgar F. Koehler*, from the 14th U. S. Infantry to the 9th U. S. Infantry.

The commanding officer, 9th U. S. Infantry, will assign Lieutenant *Koehler* to a company.

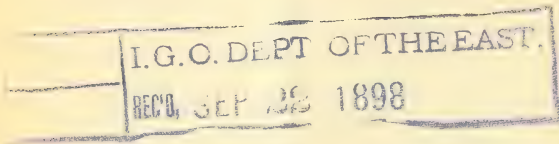
Lieutenant *Simpson* will remain on duty with the 9th U. S. Infantry until further orders.

92. Private *Charles Ramloch*, Troop B, 3d Cavalry, at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to Troop

C, 7th Cavalry, at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty with the troop to which he is transferred.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS,

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

No. 220.

Washington, September 17, 1898.

1. Private *Clarence N. Utterback*, Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, now in this city, will be sent to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *George C. Mizell* and Private *George P. Potello*, Hospital Corps, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 107, Headquarters 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, September 14, 1898, will return to their proper station, with permission to delay two days *en route*.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for three days, it being impracticable for the soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *E. Pierce Buchanan*, Troop G, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Bud Moss*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles W. Condon*, Troop H, 5th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph W. Stuart*, Company L, 12th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward C. Mowen*, Troop I, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Clegg*, Company E, 16th Infantry, will be dis-

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charged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Neff*, Battery E, 6th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William F. Prentiss*, General Service, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 8, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benni Goldblatt*, Light Battery F, 3d Artillery, now in Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Francis G. Long*, Company G, 7th Infantry, now on furlough at No. 105 Kinnaird street, Cambridge, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Dell Vandivier*, Company —, 16th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Henry C. Barth*, General Service, now at Recruiting Station, No. 57, Public Square, Cleveland, Ohio, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles O. Maus*, Troop I, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Donahue*, Company E, 19th Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel S. Smith*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at No. 1623 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, from Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Curtes West*, Troop I, 3d Cavalry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jason J. Jackson*, Company F, 24th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, is transferred to the 9th Cavalry at the same station.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *William E. Waldrop* (appointed September 14, 1898), now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, is assigned to duty at that station.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Delaney*, Troop L, 8th Cavalry, now at Fort Meade, South Dakota, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas McCormick*, Battery E, 6th Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Luis J. R. Leyba*, Troop G, 2d Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Rowland S. Pike*, Troop B, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis Cox*, Troop I, 2d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. Second Lieutenant *Joshua A. Trotti*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

27. First Lieutenant *Thaddeus A. Parker*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

28. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frank De W. Ramsey*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will proceed from Madison Barracks, New York, *via* Washington, District of Columbia, reporting *en route* to the Commissary General of Subsistence, to Jacksonville, Florida, on official business pertaining to his duties in the Subsistence Department at Tampa and Jacksonville, Florida, prior to the departure of the 5th Army Corps for Cuba, and, on completion of that duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Lieutenant-Colonel *Charles Hobart*, 8th U. S. Infantry, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Llewellyn E. Williamson*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles Brewer*, U. S. Army, will proceed

from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to New York City, New York, and, upon arrival there, will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 48, Special Orders, No. 161, July 11, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles G. Eicher*, U. S. Army, is amended to direct him to proceed from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, to Camp Russell A. Alger, Falls Church, Virginia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 197, August 22, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis R. Percival*, U. S. Army, is amended to direct him to proceed from Newark, New Jersey, to Camp Russell A. Alger, Falls Church, Virginia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Weston P. Chamberlain*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will take charge of the medical supplies now on board the transport "Panama" at Newport News, Virginia, and proceed therewith to Ponce, Porto Rico, and return to Fort Monroe, Virginia, with as many convalescent soldiers as can be comfortably cared for on that steamer. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to 2d Lieutenant *Alston Hamilton*, 1st U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

36. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *J. Milton Thompson*, 24th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty with the National Guard of Connecticut, and will proceed at once to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph H. Dorst*, 4th U. S. Cavalry (Lieutenant Colonel and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers), will report in person without delay to Lieutenant Colonel *Charles D. Viele*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York,

by Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Howard W. Cox*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee, is transferred to Company M, 158th Indiana Volunteer Infantry. He will be sent to the station of that company, Indianapolis, Indiana, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Homer V. Walden*, Troop F, and *Robert A. Kitchen*, Troop L, 2d Cavalry;

Private *William O. Anderson*, Troop I, 8th Cavalry.

These soldier are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles W. Emerson*, Troop F, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Charles Sumner*, Troop L, 1st Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *Albert Crandall*, Battery D, 1st Artillery, Jackson Barracks, Louisiana;

Private *Victor Amrein*, Troop E, 6th Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *David C. Neifert*, General Service, No. 415 W. Locust street, Des Moines, Iowa;

Private *Frank Bennett*, Battery H, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Charley A. Frazier*, Battery H, 7th Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island;

Private *Fred Burton*, Company —, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *James R. Mason*, Company E, 2d Infantry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Private *Edgar F. Atherholt*, Battery E, 7th Artillery, Fort Preble, Maine.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month, to take effect this date, is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur Jordan*, U. S. Army.

42. By direction of the President, Lieutenant Colonel *Nicholas Senn*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Acting Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *George C. Barnhardt*, 6th Cavalry, is extended ten days.

44. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Daniel Cornman*, 21st Infantry, will proceed to New York City, and report in person to Major *Folliot A. Whitney*, 6th Infantry, for assignment to recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month, to take effect September 19, 1898, is granted Captain *Charles J. Goff*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

46. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, September 17, 1898.*

Cadet *Philip S. Smith*, 3d Class, U. S. Military Academy, having been tried and found guilty of harassing and annoying fourth classmen, in violation of paragraph 140, Regulations U. S. Military Academy, and conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, under the 62d Article of War, by a general court-martial convened at West Point, New York, was sentenced "*To be suspended from the U. S. Military Academy, without pay, until August 28th, 1899, at which date he will join the then third class.*"

By direction of the President, the sentence in the foregoing case of Cadet *Philip S. Smith*, 3d Class, United States Military Academy, is confirmed and will be duly executed.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,
Acting Secretary of War.

47. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Chaplain *Roderick Terry*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Charles W. Ayars*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *J. M. Wainwright*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *William L. Fish*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *A. B. Palmer*, Light Battery B, Georgia Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *Simon P. Doherty*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *W. S. Tash*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

48. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *W. S. Martin*, Battalion Adjutant, 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

49. Major *J. W. Sackett*, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry, will proceed from New York City to join his regiment at Huntsville, Alabama. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 43, Special Orders, No. 210, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, September 6, 1898, granting 2d Lieutenant *Harry L. Pitkin*, 1st New Hampshire Volunteer Infantry, sick leave of absence for one month, is revoked, he having been granted such leave by Special Orders, No. 204, paragraph 24, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 30, 1898.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

THOMAS WARD,
Acting Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 221. } Washington, September 19, 1898.

1. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on account of sickness, with permission to apply for an extension if necessary, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles Keller*, Corps of Engineers.

2. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William R. Smith*, 1st U. S. Artillery, will report in person, in due time, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., September 20, 1898, for the examination of Lieutenants of the line, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and, upon the completion of his examination, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Jay E. Hoffer*, 3d U. S. Artillery, will report in person in due time to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., September 20, 1898, for the examination of Lieutenants of the line, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and, upon the completion of his examination, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. Leave of absence for one month is granted Additional 2d Lieutenant *Lytle Brown*, Corps of Engineers.

5. The leave of absence granted Captain *Bernard A. Byrne*, 6th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 9, August 24, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

6. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William F. Clark*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 16, August 31, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

7. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Wendell L. Simpson*, Adjutant, 9th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 39, August 6, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

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8. The leave of absence granted Captain *George J. Newgarden*, assistant surgeon, in Special Orders, No. 2, August 17, 1898, Montauk Point, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

9. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Emerson H. Liscum*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 206, September 1, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month.

10. Paragraph 63, Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, from this office relating to 2d Lieutenant *Alga P. Berry*, 10th Infantry, is revoked.

11. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Alga P. Berry*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 11, August 26, 1898, Camp Wykoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

12. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William F. Terriberry*, assistant surgeon, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 30, 1898.

13. By direction of the President, Captain *Ross Matthews*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Cephas C. Bateman*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, to his proper station, Fort Sherman, Idaho. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Sergeant *Irving Fantroy* and Private *Charles Makal*, Company G, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now in this city without means, will be sent to join their regiment at Lexington, Kentucky. The cost of transportation will be charged against them upon the next pay roll of the company to which they belong.

16. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Corporals *Isaac H. Ely* and *John C. Stiirtz*, and Privates *Roy Stringer* and *Henry D. Smith*, Company G, 9th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to join their regiment at Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania.

17. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Hamilton P. Jones*, U. S. Army.

18. Leave of absence for one month, from August 30, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *James McV. Mackall*, U. S. Army.

19. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Madison M. Brewer*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *J. C. Jaquess*, Company —, 7th California Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *Walter McDonald*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *A. C. Garton*, Company M, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Spencer B. Nichols*, Company F, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Albert M. Mitchell*, Company F, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William J. Charlock*, Company E, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Leak P. Landis*, Company M, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph C. Akers*, Company D, and Sergeant *George Peterson*, Company C, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William Fostmast*, Company C, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Ward W. Pickard*, Company F, 1st Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *William A. Bright*, Company K, and *James B. Miller*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Fitzhugh N. Hail*, Company B, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Nicholas Righter*, Company G, 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *August S. Lay*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Harry W. Finney*, Company H, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William E. Gregley*, Company H, 12th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Walter D. Moore*, Company D, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 22, Special Orders, No. 218, September 15, 1898,

from this office, as relates to Quartermaster Surgeon *Charles L. Carter*, Company L, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read, "Quartermaster Sergeant."

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *H. V. Bruce*, Company H, 1st Ohio Volunteer Light Artillery;

Private *Frank A. Rowan*, Company —, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Garrick Mallery*, Company A, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *J. B. Chattin*, Company F, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

27. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Ross L. Bush*, 25th Infantry.

28. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Casper H. Conrad, jr.*, 5th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 83, August 19, 1898, Department of the 4th Army Corps, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

29. First Lieutenant *John R. Seyburn*, 8th U. S. Infantry, is transferred from Company C to Company D of that regiment.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Samuel Bardelson*, Company L, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Wagoner *Robert E. Spann*, Company G, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jess N. Russell*, Company K, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George Y. Neill*, Company K, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Ferdinand E. Molkow*, 1st Battalion, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Joseph H. Manning*, now in this city, having relinquished the unexpired portion of his furlough, will be sent to Fort Monroe, Virginia. He will report for duty upon his arrival to the surgeon commanding Josiah Simpson General Hospital at that post.

33. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the Medical Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from the places hereinafter designated to New York City, New York, to take the first transport for Ponce, Porto Rico, and, upon arrival there, will report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty:

Acting Assistant Surgeon *F. M. Barney*, from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert Boyd*, from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *S. W. Perry*, from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *William G. Young*, from Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. L. Griffin*, from Fort Barrancas, Florida.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Culver C. Sniffen*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Atlanta, Georgia, to take effect upon the expiration of his present leave of absence, and will proceed to Denver, Colorado, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado, for assignment to duty as chief paymaster of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the President, Captain *Thomas S. Grasselli*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Acting Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Harry B. Chamberlin*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty as Assistant Quartermaster under his direction.

37. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Edward T. Comegys*, surgeon, U. S. Army, acting medical purveyor, Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will proceed to and take station at Atlanta, Georgia, transfer the medical supplies in his charge, and establish a medical-supply depot at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *James H. Reeves*, 6th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 196, August 20, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

39. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Edgar A. Sirmyer*, 3d Cavalry, is extended one month from September 12, 1898, on account of sickness.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John Steely*, Company C, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations, this soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporals *John W. Brady* and *William S. West*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Arthur J. Nalls*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Paul G. Brock*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Robert F. Woods*, Company A, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Sydney H. Beckley*, Company K, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John W. Pierson*, Company C, 3d Texas Volunteers;

Private *Daniel O. Hopkins*, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteers;

Private *H. B. Bigham*, Company G, 1st Florida Volunteers;

Private *W. J. James*, Company F, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteers;

Private *Arthur C. Barber*, Company E, 32d Michigan Volunteers;

Privates *Jacob C. Walker*, Company G, and *R. E. Hill*, Company K, 2d Texas Volunteers;

Private *Leonard S. Coleman*, Company M, 2d Virginia Volunteers;

Private *G. H. Mallaird*, Company E, 9th New York Volunteers;

Corporal *J. H. Butner*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteers;

First Sergeant *Calvin Tibbs*, Company M, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ashley Pond, jr.*, Troop —, 1st U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *Newell C. Wright*, Company M, 1st New Hampshire Volunteers;

Private *Avon O. Ray*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteers;

Private *Thomas W. Young*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteers;

Corporal *Clarence W. Byers*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *William Arnot Anderson*, Company F, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Cromwell Haslam*, Company M, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Willets Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Hall*, Company D, 17th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Wurzbach*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Harry W. Rambo*, Hospital Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Arthur R. Jones*, Company I, 20th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service

of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Private *William H. Pinkston*, Troop M, 1st Cavalry;

Private *Earl R. Crawford*, Battery C, 7th Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

51. Second Lieutenant *Charles F. Bates*, recently appointed from civil life (to rank from July 9, 1898), is assigned to the 25th Infantry.

52. The following assignments of 2d Lieutenants recently appointed from civil life (to rank from September 9, 1898), are announced:

John W. Kilbreth, jr., to the 4th Artillery;

Frank W. Rowell, to the 2d Infantry;

George B. Pond, to the 3d Infantry;

Isaacs A. Saxton, to the 4th Infantry;

Paul H. McCook, to the 5th Infantry;

Thomas J. Fealy, to the 5th Infantry;

Louis P. Schindel, to the 6th Infantry;

Alexander M. Wetherill, to the 6th Infantry;

J. Pierre Drouillard, to the 6th Infantry;

Hugh R. Miller, to the 10th Infantry;

Eleutheros H. Cooke, to the 10th Infantry;

Ralph E. Meyer, to the 12th Infantry;

Dana T. Merrill, to the 12th Infantry;

Hugh A. Drum, to the 12th Infantry;

George H. Shields, jr., to the 12th Infantry;

Frederick W. Coleman, jr., to the 13th Infantry;

James B. Kemper, to the 14th Infantry;

Arthur L. Conger, jr., to the 18th Infantry;

Alfred Aloe, to the 18th Infantry;

Martin L. Crimmins, to the 18th Infantry;

John W. Barnes, to the 18th Infantry;

William D. Forsyth, to the 19th Infantry;

Marion M. Weeks, to the 21st Infantry;

James M. Love, jr., to the 21st Infantry;

Fitzhugh Lee, jr., to the 21st Infantry;

Charles N. Murphy, to the 23d Infantry;

Harry S. Howland, to the 23d Infantry;

Theodore A. Baldwin, jr., to the 24th Infantry;

John M. Campbell, to the 25th Infantry.

53. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Major *J. W. Sackett*, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry.

54. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 53, Special Orders, No. 215, September 12, 1898, from this office, relating to 2d Lieutenant *Edward Luikhart*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read as follows:

Second Lieutenant *Edwin H. Luikart*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 12, 1898.

55. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Lewis V. Williams*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Fernandina, Florida, and will proceed at once to Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty as Assistant Quartermaster under his direction. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. The journey from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, to New York City, New York, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Anita N. McGee*, U. S. Army, under telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War, as having been necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry S. Greenleaf*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty on the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," and will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 18, Special Orders, No. 165, July 15, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. J. Thomas*, U. S. Army, is amended to direct him to proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Tampa, Florida. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Edward C. Poëy*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for as-

signment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the Medical Department, U. S. Army, when their services are no longer required at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, will proceed to New York City, New York, to take first transport for Ponce, Porto Rico, and, upon arrival there, will report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty:

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles A. Hamilton*;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles J. Kenworthy*;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *S. H. Wadhams*.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Samuel W. Kelley*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 3d Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the President, Major *Charles B. Nancrede*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect September 28, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Colonel *Frank J. Hecker*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Tampa, Florida, on official business pertaining to certain inspections in connection with the transportation of the Army, and thence to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Secretary of War, and proceed with him to such points as the Secretary may designate by verbal instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles S. Conner*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 218, September 15, 1898, from this office, relating to Lieutenant Colonel *Forrest H. Hathaway*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, is amended so as to direct him, after the completion of his duties at Tampa, Florida, to proceed thence to Jacksonville, Florida, and comply with instructions communicated to him by the Quartermaster General of the Army, and, on completion of his duties at that place, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. Leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *George Dyer*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

67. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *William W. Walker*, 1st Texas Cavalry, is relieved from further duty with the Medical Department, and will proceed from Camp Wikoff, New York, to San Antonio, Texas, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Major *Gilbert L. Fitch*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Major *Julian La Pierre*, surgeon, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry; #

Captain *John A. Davidson*; Adjutant, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *William P. Lynn*, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *William S. Burrell*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas C. Hogue*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael J. Sammon*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, now on furlough at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Slocum, New York, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. army, are re-

lieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to New York City, New York, and thence on steamer sailing for Porto Rico on the 21st instant, and, upon arrival there, will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty:

E. F. McClendon ;

Charles E. McDonald ;

W. M. Carson ;

William C. LeCompte ;

John J. Gilhuley ;

Elmer S. Tenney ;

E. C. Shattuck ;

W. O. Cutcliffe.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

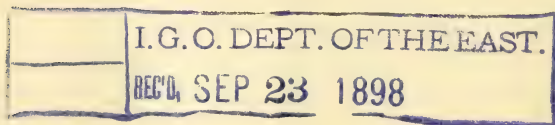
71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter Van Geffen*, Company L, 19th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *William C. Garrigues*, General Service, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 46, Special Orders, No. 210, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, September 6, 1898, is amended so as to grant leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability to 2d Lieutenant *James W. Frankfather*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 222. } Washington, September 20, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles H. Webster*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Black, Hempstead, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that station.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Robert N. Moseley*, Company B, 10th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Ernest Bergren*, Company F, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Corporal *Charles Alvey*, Company C, 19th Infantry, Ponce, Porto Rico.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles V. Barnes*, Troop G, 1st Cavalry, now supposed to be with his troop at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, having satisfactorily explained to the department that his true name is *Walter C. Jones*, will be borne under the latter name on all rolls, returns, etc., of his command after this date.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Christian C. Maurer*, Band, 17th Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry E. Fairman*, Company G, 12th Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert R. Crook*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

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7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Irving A. Hubbard*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William J. Donahey*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Morgan, Alabama, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richard Connell*, Troop L, 1st Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marcus H. Heldman*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert B. Kanouse*, Band, 20th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Smith*, Battery I, 5th Artillery, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John J. Mitchell*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia;

Private *Frank N. Wilmarth*, Company D, 12th Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Recruits *Harvey H. Hall*, *Louis H. Butt*, and *Herman C. Grohe*, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. Private *Frederick H. Davis*, Company H, 6th Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Fort Thomas, Kentucky. The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind. The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of his company.

15. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for four months on surgeon's certificate of disability, with permission to go beyond the limits of the Department of the Colorado, is granted Captain *Edward Everts*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

16. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Murdock*, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

17. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Briant H. Wells*, 18th Infantry (recently promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 2d Infantry), is relieved from duty with the National Guard of the State of Utah, and will proceed to join his regiment in the Philippine Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Colonel *Asa B. Carey*, assistant paymaster general, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at St. Paul, Minnesota, and will proceed to and take station at Chicago, Illinois, October 1, 1898, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes, for assignment to duty as chief paymaster of that Department, in addition to his duty as chief paymaster, Department of Dakota. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James Carroll*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, on official business per-

taining to the Medical Department of the Army, and, on completion of that duty, will return to this city and resume his duties. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *John M. G. Woodbury*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now in New York City, New York, is relieved from duty with the 6th Army Corps, and will proceed to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Royce D. Fry*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to take effect when his services are no longer required, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George Montgomery*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, now stationed at Sandy Hook Proving Ground, Sandy Hook, New Jersey, will proceed to Alliance, Ohio, and temporarily relieve Captain *William W. Gibson*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, from the inspection duty now under his charge, and, upon the completion thereof, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. The following-named officers of the 24th U. S. Infantry will proceed from Fort Slocum, New York, to Fort Douglas, Utah, and join their regiment:

First Lieutenant *Joseph D. Leitch*;

First Lieutenant *Hunter B. Nelson*.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Wagoner *William M. Wrenn*, Company A, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now in this city without means, will be sent to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to join his regiment. The cost of transportation will be charged against him upon the next pay-roll of his company.

25. By direction of the President, Captain *Albert Gilbert, jr.*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably dis-

charged the service of the United States, by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect October 1, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the President, Major *Jacob M. Longnecker*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect October 1, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. The leave of absence granted Captain *J. F. Reynolds Landis*, 6th Cavalry, in Special Orders, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

28. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Joseph C. Byron*, 8th Cavalry, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, is changed to a leave of absence on account of sickness and extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

29. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 218, September 15, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. P. Jones*, U. S. Army, is revoked.

30. Captain *Irvine Mather*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

31. Leave of absence to include October 14, 1898, is granted Chaplain *Benjamin W. Arnett, jr.*, 8th United States Volunteer Infantry.

32. Chaplain *Benjamin W. Arnett, jr.*, 8th United States Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect October 14, 1898, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, as of that date.

33. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Stephen M. Gonzalez*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, to New York City, New York, to take first transport for Ponce, Porto

Rico, and, upon arrival there, will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *William P. Williams*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quartermaster's steamer "Chester," to relieve Major *William Williams*, Commissary of Subsistence and Acting Assistant Quartermaster, and will proceed thereon to such points as may be designated by Colonel *Kimball*. The future movements of the steamer will be governed by orders to be given by proper authority after arrival at its destinations. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Ralph Grimm*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 61, Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Bernard S. May*, Company G, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Watson De Brell*, Company B, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

38. By direction of the President, Major *George A. Smith*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Stephen M. Kochersperger*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August

29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on account of sickness.

40. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 60, Special Orders, No. 207, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, September 2, 1898, as relates to 2d Lieutenant *C. C. Baldwin*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read "1st Lieutenant *C. C. Baldwin*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry."

41. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 16, 1898, of Brigadier General, *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers (Lieutenant Colonel, 3d U. S. Artillery), as chief mustering officer for the State of New York, with station in New York City, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, at the places indicated opposite their names, respectively, is announced:

Major *Charles A. Coolidge*, 7th U. S. Infantry, at New York City;

Captain *Elbridge R. Hills*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

Captain *William Lassiter*, 16th U. S. Infantry, at New York City;

Captain *James E. Brett*, 24th U. S. Infantry, at Brooklyn, New York;

First Lieutenant *John J. O'Connell*, 21st U. S. Infantry, at Buffalo, New York.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Roderick H. Bailey*, Company L, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John M. Gillette*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *William B. Wilbur*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness, with permission to apply for an extension, is granted Captain *Elliott L. Gyger*, 8th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles Simmons*, Company E, 2d Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William W. Sanno*, Troop K, 2d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Washington Barracks, District of Columbia. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Daniel De Vaney*, Company H, 12th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Daniel Rosenberg*, Company B, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Walter Wood* and *Virge C. Miller*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas Garrett, jr.*, Company H, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Morton Stein*, Company B, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 17, 1898, of Colonel *Luther R. Hare*, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry (Captain, 7th Cavalry), as chief mustering officer for the State of Texas, with station in Austin, Texas, and of the following-named officers as his assistants at the places indicated opposite their names, respectively, is announced:

Colonel *Charles S. Riché*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), at Galveston, Texas;

Major *Beaumont B. Buck*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry (1st Lieutenant, 16th U. S. Infantry), at Dallas, Texas;

Captain *Robert H. Patterson*, 1st U. S. Artillery, at San Antonio, Texas;

First Lieutenant *Clough Overton*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, at Galveston, Texas.

51. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Chaplain *Carlos H. Hanks*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *John Kelly*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

52. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *William P. Jackson*, 2d Infantry, aid-de-camp.

53. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Harris L. Roberts*, 19th Infantry.

54. Leave of absence for fifteen days on account of sickness is granted Captain *Carroll Mercer*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

55. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *John B. Guthrie*, 15th Infantry (recently promoted from Captain, 13th Infantry, subject to examination for promotion), will report in person without delay to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and,

upon the conclusion of his examination, will proceed thence to Fort Porter, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *James Miller*, 20th Infantry, and Captain *Benjamin L. Ten Eyck*, assistant surgeon, are detailed as members of the examining board convened at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, and 1st Lieutenant *Ulysses G. Worrilow*, 20th Infantry, is detailed as recorder thereof, *vice* Major *Joseph B. Girard*, surgeon, Major *Camillo C. C. Carr*, 8th Cavalry, and 1st Lieutenant *William F. Flynn*, 8th Cavalry, recorder, who are hereby relieved.

Upon the final adjournment of the board Captain *Ten Eyck* will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Baen Street*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp Hobson, Lithia Springs, Georgia, and will proceed to Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding officer of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Major *William Williams*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

59. By direction of the President, Captain *William W. Statham*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William Stanton*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, will report in person, without delay, to Lieutenant Colonel *Charles D. Viele*, 1st Cavalry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, by Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 18, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Phineas G. McLean*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Harry B. Taylor*, Company M, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Musician *Harry T. Love*, Company G, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George W. Martin*, Company A, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Bernice Gladden*, Company G, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Joseph S. Wilkinson*, Troop L, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

67. The journeys performed by Captain *Alexis R. Paxton*,

15th U. S. Infantry, July 1 to 4, 1898, from Grove City, Pennsylvania, to Washington, District of Columbia, and return, and July 1, 1898, from Harrisburg to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and return, on official business pertaining to his duties as a member and quartermaster of the board of officers appointed by paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 116, May 18, 1898, from this office, to inspect and purchase artillery and cavalry horses for the Quartermaster's Department, are approved by the Acting Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert F. Jones*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City, take transport sailing from that place on Wednesday, September 21, 1898, for Ponce, Porto Rico, and, upon arrival at that place, will report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops stationed there for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis E. Holliday*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding officer of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Joseph H. Noble*, Company L, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John L. Joerschke*, United States Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

71. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *John A. Baldwin*, 9th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty with the National Guard of Arizona Territory, and will proceed to Madison Barracks, New York, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. Leave of absence to include October 20, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Richard B. Woodford*, 8th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

73. Second Lieutenant *Richard B. Woodford*, 8th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect October 20, 1898, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States as of that date.

74. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph T. Clarke*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will report in person to the commanding officer, Madison Barracks, New York, for duty at that post, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East.

75. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *George W. Goethals*, Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), is relieved from duty upon the staff of Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, and will proceed to and take station at West Point, New York, and enter upon duty in accordance with the requirements of paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 81, April 7, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *John S. Kulp*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty with the 3d Army Corps, and will proceed from Anniston, Alabama, to Fort Niagara, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 17, 1898, of Lieutenant Colonel *Erasmus M. Weaver, jr.*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 1st U. S. Artillery), as chief mustering officer for the State of Massachusetts, with station in Boston, and of the following-named officers as the assistants, at the places indicated opposite their names, respectively, is announced:

First Lieutenant *Clint C. Hearn*, 7th U. S. Artillery, at South Framingham, Massachusetts;

First Lieutenant *Oliver Edwards*, 11th U. S. Infantry, at South Framingham, Massachusetts.

78. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty September 17, 1898, of Lieutenant Colonel *Frank de L. Carrington*, 8th California Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 1st Infantry), as chief mustering officer for the States of Oregon and Washington, with station in Portland, Oregon, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, at the places indicated opposite their names, respectively, is announced:

Captain *Henry F. Kendall*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, at Portland, Oregon;

Captain *Frank Taylor*, 14th U. S. Infantry, at Vancouver Barracks, Washington.

79. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at the War Department, this city, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, Assistant Chief Signal Officer;

Major *James C. Merrill*, surgeon;

Major *Charles Shaler*, Ordnance Department;

Major *Stephen C. Mills*, Inspector General;

Captain *George D. De Shon*, assistant surgeon.

Major *Mills* will act as recorder.

80. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *James Allen*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army (Colonel, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps), will report in person to Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, assistant chief signal officer, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the War Department, in this city, by Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

81. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, are ordered:

Major *Solomon W. Roessler* is relieved from duty at Willets Point, New York, to take effect October 12, 1898, and will

then proceed to and take station at Portland, Maine, and relieve Major *Richard L. Hoxie* of the duties now under his charge, together with all money and property appertaining thereto;

Upon being thus relieved, Major *Hoxie* will, by direction of the President, proceed to and take station at Washington, District of Columbia, and report to the Secretary of the Treasury for duty as Engineer Secretary of the Light House Board;

Captain *John Millis* is, by direction of the President, relieved from duty as Engineer Secretary of the Light-House Board, to take effect when Major *Hoxie* shall have reported for that duty, and will then proceed to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School;

Captain *James C. Sanford*, upon the completion of work in the field pertaining to the wagon road between Fort Washakie and Jackson Lake, in addition to his present duties, will proceed to and take station at Sioux City Iowa, and relieve Captain *Frederic V. Abbot* of the duties which he transferred to him August 2, 1898, together with all money and property appertaining thereto;

Major *William W. Harts*, Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), will report by letter, upon the expiration of his present leave of absence, to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, for duty under his immediate orders, and will proceed to and take station at Portland, Oregon, and relieve Major *Walter L. Fisk* of the duties transferred to him by 1st Lieutenant *Charles L. Potter*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army (Lieutenant Colonel and Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteers), May 10, 1898, together with all money and property appertaining thereto.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. Second Lieutenant *John Q. Tilson*, 6th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

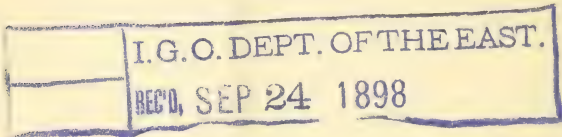
83. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Post Chaplain *Ruter W. Springer*, U. S. Army, is extended twenty days.

84. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months, from September 7, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted Major *William J. Wakeman*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

85. The journey performed by 1st Lieutenant *Samuel F. Crecelius*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, September 12 and 13, 1898, from Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, to Camp Hamilton, Kentucky, on official business pertaining to the transfer of the regiment to last-named station, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War as necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 223. } Washington, September 21, 1898.

1. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Donald Maclean*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and Captain *William B. Homer*, 6th Artillery, are detailed as members of the examining board, convened by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *James M. Ingalls*, 1st Artillery, and Captain *W. Clement Claude*, surgeon, 1st Maryland Volunteers, who are hereby relieved.

2. Sergeant *Claude F. Thomas* and Corporal *Stewart Clarke*, Troop I, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 175, September 16, 1898, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will return to that station with permission to delay five days *en route*.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for three days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

3. Leave of absence for two months, from August 25, 1898, is granted Captain *C. S. Holden*, 2d Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

4. Paragraph 32, Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *Austin H. Brown*, Adjutant, 4th Infantry, is revoked.

5. The leave of absence granted Major *S. B. Stanbery*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 139, current series, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

6. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *R. L. Bates*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 25, 1898.

7. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George T. Langhorne*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as aid to Brigadier General *George A. Garretson*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Clifton L. Fenton*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is appointed Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quar-

Inspector General.

termaster's steamer "Mohawk," in addition to his other duties.

9. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William G. Young*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Sanger U. S. General Hospital, Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to New York City, New York, to take the transport sailing at noon, Wednesday, September 28, 1898, for Ponce, Porto Rico, and, upon arrival there, will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *James Pierre Drouillard*, 6th Infantry, will proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding officer of his regiment for assignment to a company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *David J. Baker, jr.*, 12th Infantry, is extended two months on account of sickness.

12. Second Lieutenant *Harry E. Smith*, 1st U. S. Artillery, upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to join his battery, H, Fort Barrancas, Florida. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Captain *Thomas H. Cavanaugh*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *A. I. Neiley* and Private *James A. G. Bishop*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, as convalescent, and on sick furlough, respectively, will be assigned to duty at that post so soon as they have fully recovered and are able for duty.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward L. Badger*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James T. Daniels*, Company B, 10th Infantry, now at Hunts-

ville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Graham*, Company D, 8th Infantry, now on furlough at No. 215 West 66th street, New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Carl Phillips*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph L. Nulsen*, Company G, 16th Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John Booth*, Company E, Battalion of Engineers, now supposed to be at West Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred Sansoucy*, Company —, 12th Infantry, now supposed to be at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Clarence White*, Troop H, 2d Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry McGuckin*, Battery E, 6th Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry E. Tinfrock*, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special

Orders, No. 212, paragraph 87, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, September 8, 1898, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

25. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *James B. Aleshire*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is appointed a Special Inspector, under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, to inspect public animals reported as unserviceable, and which may be presented to him at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and such other places as may be designated by the Quartermaster General of the Army, under whose instructions he will perform these duties. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Alfred C. Merillat*, 3d Cavalry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

27. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Guy H. B. Smith*, 4th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on account of sickness.

28. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *A. H. Simonton*, U. S. Army.

29. Leave of absence for fourteen days, from September 17, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted Additional 2d Lieutenant *Frederick W. Altstaetter*, Corps of Engineers.

30. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *George M. Wright*, 8th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from duty, as aid to Brigadier General *George A. Garretson*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed to Columbus, Ohio, and join his regiment for muster out. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. The leave of absence granted Captain *Thomas B. Turney*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, by Orders, No. 44, paragraph 1, September 14, 1898, Headquarters 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

32. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 87, Special Orders, No. 219, September 16, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Charles E. Kilbourne*, paymaster, U. S. Army, and Majors *Henry C. Fitzgerald* and *Herbert M. Lord*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

33. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Walter L. Finley*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 12, Headquarters U. S. forces, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, August 27, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

34. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William Kelly, jr.*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now in Porto Rico, will proceed to West Point, New York, and report in person to the Superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy for assignment to duty at the Academy. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Winthrop S. Wood*, Adjutant, 9th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 170, July 21, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

36. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *William C. Gorgas*, surgeon, U. S. Army.

37. The leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *E. E. Leonard*, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 74, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, August 13, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Frank Boyd*, surgeon, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from further duty with Steamship "Panama," now at Newport News, Virginia, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Samuel A. Smoke*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, on being relieved from duty at Fort Wayne, Michigan, will proceed to Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Kenneth Morton*, 3d U. S. Artillery, is authorized to delay fifteen days in rejoining his proper station after the conclusion of his examination in New York City, with a view to his transfer to the Ordnance Department.

41. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant

Charles W. Conner, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 72, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, August 11, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

42. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Clement A. F. Flagler*, Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), now in this city, will proceed *via* Willets Point, New York, to and take station at Montgomery, Alabama, and relieve Major *Frederick A. Mahan*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, not later than September 30, 1898, of the duties now under his charge, together with all money and property appertaining thereto. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *Guy G. Bailey*, assistant surgeon, 33d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 208, paragraph 34, September 3, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

44. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 20, 1898, of Captain *Robert P. P. Wainwright*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Illinois, with station at Springfield, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, is announced:

First Lieutenant *George E. French*, 4th U. S. Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Frederick V. Krüg*, 20th U. S. Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Milton F. Davis*, 1st U. S. Cavalry;
 Second Lieutenant *Edward S. Walton*, 18th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Halstead Dorey*, 4th U. S. Infantry.

45. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 19, 1898, of Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 6th U. S. Cavalry), as chief mustering officer for the State of Pennsylvania, with station in Philadelphia, and of the following-named officers as his assistants at the places indicated opposite their names, respectively, is announced:

Major *William A. Thompson*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania;

Captain *Frederick Fuger*, 4th U. S. Artillery, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania;

Captain *Edgar W. Howe*, 17th U. S. Infantry, at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.

46. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieu-

tenant *George W. Clodwick*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

47. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 164, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, July 14, 1898, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *W. H. Kloph*, Adjutant Battalion, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read, 1st Lieutenant *Henry W. Klopff*, Adjutant Battalion, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

48. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the 1st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 30, 1898:

First Lieutenant *George E. Wallace*;

First Lieutenant *David Terry*.

49. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph H. Dorst*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 5th Army Corps, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Mark L. Hersey*, 12th Infantry, is relieved by the Acting Secretary of War from further duty at Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

51. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *Edwin B. Babbitt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, to proceed to Sandy Hook Proving Ground, Sandy Hook, New Jersey, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to New York Arsenal, Governors Island, New York Harbor, and take station at that post, for duty as assistant to Major *Frank Heath*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Colonel *Charles Bird*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, and Captain

Robert N. Getty, 22d U. S. Infantry, are detailed as members of the board of officers appointed by paragraph 41. Special Orders, No. 211, September 7, 1898, from this office, to meet at the Army Building, New York City, to make regulations for the government of troops on transports.

53. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 20, 1898, of Captain *Sedgwick Pratt*, 3d U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of California, with station at Los Angeles, and of Captain *Henry C. Danes*, 3d U. S. Artillery, as his assistant, at San Francisco, California, is announced.

54. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from duty with the 5th Army Corps and will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as hereinafter designated:

Major *Philip Reade*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, to the 1st Division, 2d Army Corps;

Major *Alfred C. Sharpe*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, to the 2d Division, 2d Army Corps;

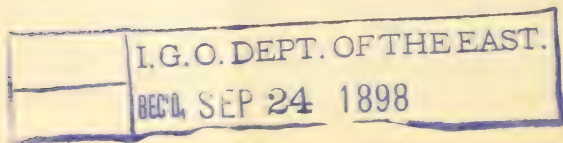
Major *George H. Sands*, Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers, to the 2d Division, 2d Army Corps.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Lucien G. Berry*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty on the staff of Brigadier General *George A. Garretson*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed from New York City, New York, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 224. Washington, September 22, 1898.

1. First Lieutenant *Benjamin A. Poore*, 6th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and there join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. Captain *Loyd S. McCormick*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, having reported by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army, as directed in Special Orders, No. 90, September 14, 1898, 5th Army Corps, will proceed to join his troop at Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the President, Major *George Cook*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. The journey from New Haven, Connecticut, to Washington, District of Columbia, recently made by Acting Assistant Surgeon *James McV. Mackall*, U. S. Army, on official business, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *Albert Kehrle*, now at Fort St. Philip, Louisiana, to Jackson Barracks, Louisiana;

Commissary Sergeant *Henry Chapman*, now at Fort Clinch, Florida, to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, to relieve Commissary Sergeant *Charles Pfahler*;

Sergeant *Pfahler*, when thus relieved, to Augusta Arsenal, Georgia.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Pattie*, Company I, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, having accepted a commission, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date the day prior to his acceptance of the same, by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

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7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Charles H. Leavell* and Private *Harry S. Sharp*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frederick A. Dauer*, Company G, 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Edward Driscoll*, Company C, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations this soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ben S. Eggleston*, Company D, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Thomas W. Moseley*, Company K, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Herbert W. Meyers*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Clifford D. Wayne*, Company B, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, directing the

discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station of Sergeants *J. E. McCabe* and *W. M. Daly*, Battery A, Wyoming Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers of enlisted men of the Ordnance Department are made:

First-class Private *Michael O'Connor*, from Kennebec Arsenal, Maine, to St. Louis Powder Depot, Missouri;

First-class Private *Samuel H. Roberts*, from St. Louis Powder Depot, Missouri, to Kennebec Arsenal, Maine.

The expenses of the transfers will be borne by the soldiers and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Wagoner *Michael Gillick*, Battery D, 2d Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Orr*, Battery D, 7th Artillery, now at Portland Head, Maine, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Kupper*, Troop L, 8th Cavalry, now at Fort Meade, South Dakota, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Raymond H. Herbert*, Battery A, 4th Artillery;

Private *William C. Lambert*, Hospital Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank C. Brooks*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quar-

termaster's Department, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 1st Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

19. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Augustus C. Ledyard*, 2d Infantry, in Special Field Orders, No. 40, September 5, 1898, Headquarters of the Army, is extended twenty days.

20. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Lorrain T. Richardson*, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

21. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank L. Matthews*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 154, September 6, 1898, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

22. The extension of sick leave of absence heretofore granted Major *L. E. Harter*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

23. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles L. Gerould*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

24. Leave of absence for ten days is granted Colonel *James H. Young*, 3d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

25. The leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Edward B. Williston*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 89, 5th Army Corps, is extended ten days.

26. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry Freeland*, 3d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

27. The leave of absence granted Captain *William J. Turner*, 2d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 8, August 23, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

28. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Henry L. Newbold*, 7th Artillery, aid-de-camp.

29. The leave of absence granted Captain *Abner Pickering*, 2d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 62, August 9, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

30. The leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *William H. McLaughlin*, 16th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 86, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

31. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *William H. Hamner*, paymaster, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 76, July 30, 1898, Department of the Gulf, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

32. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Edward L. Munson*, assistant surgeon, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at the War Department, this city, by Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *James C. Merrill*, surgeon, who is hereby relieved.

33. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. Lincoln Chase*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Crook, Nebraska, to Brookline, Massachusetts, and, upon arrival there, report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Rush Huidekoper*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the U. S. troops in Porto Rico, and will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Stephen W. Groesbeck*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Army.

36. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John T. Haines*, Quartermaster, 5th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

37. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Winn*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

38. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *John A. Dapray*, 23d U. S. Infantry, will report in person at once to the Commanding General of the Militia of the District of Columbia for temporary duty therewith.

39. First Lieutenant *Selah R. H. Tompkins*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Omaha, Nebraska, will proceed at once to join his troop at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Harry A. Smith*, 5th U. S. Infantry, will, upon his muster out of the service of the United States as Major, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, proceed without delay to join the battalion of the 5th U. S. Infantry stationed at Fort McPherson, Georgia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. Brigadier General *Chambers McKibbin*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 5th Army Corps, and will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to the command of a brigade in the 1st Division of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 21, 1898, of Lieutenant Colonel *John B. McDonald*, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry (1st Lieutenant, 10th U. S. Cavalry), as chief mustering officer for the State of Alabama, with station in Montgomery, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, at the places indicated opposite their names, respectively, is announced:

Captain *Magnus O. Hollis*, 4th U. S. Infantry, at Montgomery, Alabama;

First Lieutenant *George W. Van Deusen*, 1st U. S. Artillery, at Birmingham, Alabama.

43. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Charles H. Heyl*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, will proceed to Newport News, Virginia, and inspect the material in the temporary sheds, granaries, water-closet buildings, picket

posts, and tent floors which have been heretofore provided for the use of troops at that place and which have been reported to be of no further use to the Government.

44. Second Lieutenant *Howard W. Throckmorton*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect October 1, 1898, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, as of that date.

45. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *C. L. G. Anderson*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 210, September 6, 1898, from this office, is extended fourteen days on account of sickness.

46. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *James E. Calhoun*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as aid-de-camp on the staff of the Commanding General, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, and will report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence on the staff of a brigade commander in that corps.

47. First Lieutenant *Edwin V. Bookmiller*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will, upon the expiration of his present sick leave, proceed to Madison Barracks, New York, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William F. Pannett*, Troop B, 6th Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *James F. Flick*, Troop L, 8th Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Sergeant *August W. Johnson*, Battery C, 1st Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *Clarence C. Smith*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

49. Leave of absence for two months and ten days from September 6, 1898, on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *John E. Barron*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

50. Leave of absence for twenty days from September 15, 1898, on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *T. J. Robinson*, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Joseph H. Boniface*, *Louis Feick*, *Edmund J. Sapper*, and *R. Heslop Payne*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Ship "Relief," will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Perry H. Benscoter*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, now at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles E. Herrin*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division Ambulance Company, 7th Army Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, is transferred to Company I, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Montgomery, Alabama.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Arthur W. Morse*, Troop H, 4th Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *Martin J. Jorgensen*, Troop F, 5th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Walter Carpenter*, Battery H, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Patrick Donnelly*, Battery M, 2d Artillery, Grovers Cliff, Massachusetts;

Private *Charles W. Schnauffer*, Battery L, 4th Artillery, Battery Point, Delaware;

Privates *James Courtney*, Company B, and *Henry W. Griffith*, Company H, 2d Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Alexander Forsyth*, Company H, 10th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert S. Spann*, Company A, 21st Infantry, now supposed to be at his home, No. 1012-14 Market street, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph E. Willard*, 3d Regiment Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect on the date of the muster out of his company, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to date October 8, 1898.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Espy K. Shurtz*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William E. Graves*, Battery K, 5th Artillery, now on furlough at Maryville, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Clark E. Boles*, Hospital Corps, now at the General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is transferred to the Josiah Simpson General Hospital at that station, and will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, commanding hospital, for duty.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Person*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Logan, Colorado, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

61. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles A. Vernou*, 19th U. S. Infantry, is honorably discharged by the Acting Secretary of War as Major and Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, only, on tender of resignation, to take effect September 17, 1898.

62. Paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is amended so as to direct Major *Edward M.*

Hayes, 7th U. S. Cavalry, to proceed *via* this city to join the station to which he may be assigned by the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, relating to Post Chaplain *Dwight Galloupe*, is revoked.

64. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Post Chaplain *Dwight Galloupe*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

65. By direction of the President, Major *Thomas O. Summers*, surgeon, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, and brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect October 5, 1898, his services being no longer needed.

66. The sick leave granted Captain *Daniel Cornman*, 21st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

67. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Rafael Echeverria*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Tampa, Florida, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

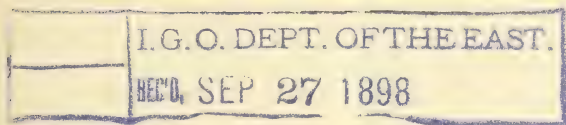
68. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick K. Ward*, 1st Cavalry, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, by Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *Samuel M. Swigert*, 3d Cavalry, who is hereby relieved.

69. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the board of officers convened at Camp Russell A. Alger, Virginia, by paragraph 64, Special Orders, No. 170, July 21, 1898, from this office, for the examination of officers to determine their fitness for promotion, is dissolved, and all orders, circulars, text-books, and examination papers remaining in the possession of the board, or any member thereof, will be returned to this office.

70. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 175, July 27, 1898, from this office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *David Price*, 1st Artillery (Major, 3d Virginia Volunteers), to report for examination for promotion to the president of the examining board, convened at Camp Russell A. Alger, Virginia, by Special Orders, No. 170, July 21, 1898, from this office, is revoked.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 225. }

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 23, 1898.

1. Captain *John A. Duncan*, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

2. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Andrew Moses*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, to date September 22, 1898, with station at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as assistant to Major *David J. Craigie*, 25th U. S. Infantry, in charge of the general recruiting station in that city. Lieutenant *Moses* is appointed an acting quartermaster while on recruiting duty.

3. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George G. Gatley*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service and will proceed to New Haven, Connecticut, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an acting quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. The leave of absence granted Chaplain *O. H. L. Mason*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 73, August 18, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

5. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *William W. Inglis*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

6. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Francis G. Caffry*, 3d Alabama Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

7. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *Clifford W. Fuller*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *Frank E. Bateman*, assistant surgeon, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 13, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Nathaniel R. Withers*, 4th Virginia Vol-

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unteer Infantry, to take effect September 22, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Arden W. Flanders*, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

8. Corporal *Elliot W. Brown* and Private *John McCarthy*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 59, September 19, 1898, headquarters of that regiment, Camp Cuba Libre, Jacksonville, Florida, will return to that station, with permission to delay two days *en route*.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

9. First Sergeant *John D. Murphy*, Company H, 12th Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

10. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Christian C. Hewitt*, 19th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of disability.

11. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Joseph W. Glidden*, 4th Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

12. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Harry E. Smith*, 1st Artillery, is extended fourteen days on account of sickness.

13. The leave of absence granted Major *Alpheus H. Bowman*, 2d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 7, August 22, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

14. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edgar T. Conley*, 21st Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 10, August 20, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

15. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William T. Schenck*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 203, August 29, 1898, from this office, is extended one month.

16. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 55, Special Orders, No. 202, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 27, 1898, as reads "1st Lieutenant *J. L. Bevans*, assistant surgeon, 5th Illinois Volunteer Infantry," is amended so as to read, "1st Lieutenant *J. L. Bevans*, assistant surgeon, 5th Illinois Volunteer Infantry."

17. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George Montgomery*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed five visits to the works of the Rarig Engineering Company, Columbus, Ohio, and to the works of the Niles Tool Works Company, Hamilton, Ohio, on official business pertaining to the inspection and manufacture of seacoast gun carriages, and upon completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *William Crozier*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army), will proceed from New York City to Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts, on official business pertaining to the inspection and manufacture of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *John P. Wade*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed *via* Port Tampa, Florida, to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *James F. Wade*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 22, 1898, of Captain *Daniel A. Frederick*, 7th U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Georgia, with station in Atlanta, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, is announced:

Captain *Percy E. Trippe*, 10th U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Jesse McI. Carter*, 5th U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Frederick L. Palmer*, 21st U. S. Infantry.

21. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George W. Van Deusen*, Adjutant, 1st U. S. Artillery, now on mustering duty at Birmingham, Alabama, will proceed to Sullivan's Island, South Carolina, at the end of this month, for temporary duty at that post, and, upon the com-

pletion thereof, will return to Birmingham, and resume his duties as mustering officer. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. The retirement from active service, this date, of Major *Sanford C. Kellogg*, 4th Cavalry, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home without delay. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Leland T. Lane*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

24. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant *Norman D. Harvey*, assistant surgeon, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 30, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Arthur B. Spink*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

25. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank M. Woon*, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 73, August 18, 1898, Seventh Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

26. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edward F. McGlatchin*, Quartermaster, 5th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 196, August 30, 1898, Department of the East, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

27. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Argalus G. Hennisee*, 2d Cavalry.

28. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Edwin O. Holter*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect November 9, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the journeys made on official business by the following-named acting

assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, as indicated opposite their names, respectively, are approved as having been necessary for the public service:

Charles D. Camp, from Chicago, Illinois, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, August 19 to 21, 1898;

George A. Sheldon, from Mobile, Alabama, to Jacksonville, Florida, September 4 to 5, 1898;

Clifford P. Fall, from Beatrice, Nebraska, to Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, September 8 to 11, 1898.

30. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 60, Special Orders, No. 221, September 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Assistant Surgeon *S. H. Wadhams*, U. S. Army, is revoked.

31. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *George S. Cartwright*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty under his direction. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Colonel *James G. C. Lee*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, is assigned to duty as Chief Quartermaster in charge of the affairs of the Quartermaster's Department at Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, and Chattanooga, Tennessee. He will take station at the latter place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William C. Cannon*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Knoxville, Tennessee, to San Francisco, California, where he will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, for instructions to take the first transport for Manila, Philippine Islands, where he will enter upon duty with Captain *Russell's* company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Algernon Sartoris*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 98, September 12, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is further extended seven days.

35. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William D. Chitty*, 3d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27,

1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

36. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *William R. Doores*, 5th Artillery.

37. The leave of absence granted Captain *Colville P. Terrett*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 11, August 26, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *George Vidmer*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 9, August 24, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

39. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *G. Maury Crallé*, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, August 28, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

40. The leave of absence granted Captain *Walter T. Duggan*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 18, September 2, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *George Ernest Springer*, Company K, 8th California Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter Rummell*, Troop I, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John W. Parham*, Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, U. S. Volunteers, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *George W. Donerson*, Company M, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Corporal *Howard J. Powelson*, Company I, 1st New York Volunteer Infantry, Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Arthur Wolfe* and Private *Parker Reed*, 6th Company U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Sergeant *Grey Childers*, Company D, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert B. Henderson*, Company I, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

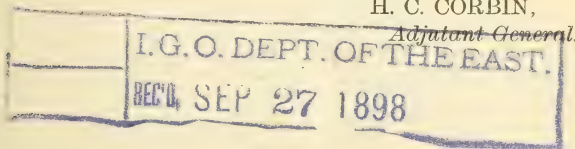
45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert D. O'Brien*, Company D, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James M. Gray*, Company L, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,

Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 226.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 24, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles F. Harter*, Battery F, 1st Artillery, now at Camp Graham, Tybee Island, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 70, Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as relates to *Trumpeter Corbly J. Davis*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Edward A. Kinsey*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Burwell*, Battery F, 1st Artillery, now at Camp Graham, Tybee Island, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Bernard A. Greenhood*, Company B, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of that post, by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Willie Thomas*, Troop M, 9th Cavalry, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *Auguste F. Hoffman*, Light Battery F, 5th Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York;

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Privates *John F. McGarry* and *Alfred C. Petty*, Company H, 13th Infantry, Fort Porter, New York;

Privates *William P. Chalk*, *Carleton F. Hodge*, and *Frank Watrous*, Company F, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Herbert Luedeke*, Battery H, 7th Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 18, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army:

Sergeant *Edward L. Cogan*, Battery E, 5th U. S. Artillery;

Private *Raymond Dynes*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jacob R. Holmes*, Company F, 19th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Fred Clay*, Company C, 5th Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 20, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry A. Rudesill*, Battery M, 6th Artillery, now at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred J. Schlotfeldt*, Hospital Corps, 3d Army Corps, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wilson J. Lee*, Troop F, 2d Cavalry, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 220, September 17, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Edgar F. Atherholt*, Battery E, 7th Artillery, is revoked.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Patrick McGloin*, Hospital Corps, now aboard the Hospital ship "Missouri," is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty aboard that vessel.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Ernest Ludwig*, Band, and *William V. R. Whittall*, Battery M, 4th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 5, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward F. Clark*, Troop M, 6th Cavalry, now at Camp Wikoff, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lyman Snider*, Hospital Corps, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be sent to Fort Columbus, New York, whence he will be sent by the commanding officer of that post on the next U. S. transport sailing for Porto Rico. He will report upon his arrival there to the general commanding U. S. troops for duty.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Palmer A. Eliot*, Hospital Corps, Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ernest Low*, Hospital Corps, now on duty at the Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Field Musician *John J. Sherman*, Military Detachment of Field Musicians, now at West Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Ernest O. Patterson*, Company G, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward Pasco*, Company H, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Isaac Bonham Bradfield*, Company A, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Henry H. Neuenberg*, Company H, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George Lee Bready*, Company H, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

23. Field Musician *Eugene Du Bois*, U. S. Military Academy Detachment of Field Musicians, having been tried and found guilty of larceny, to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, by a general court-martial convened at West Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be dishonorably discharged the service of the United States.*"

By direction of the President, the sentence was approved September 21, 1898, and will be duly executed.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Joseph Crovo*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Fred Shelly*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Otis T. Butterworth*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Hospital Steward *Samuel S. Rodman*, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *E. C. Jefferson*, Battery A, Georgia Light Artillery, now supposed to be at Griffin, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. Leave of absence for one month is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. T. Hancock*, U. S. Army.

29. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Lester W. Cornish*, 5th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 89, August 25, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is changed to a leave of absence on account of sickness, and extended one month on account of sickness.

30. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Verling K. Hart*, 17th Infantry, in Special Orders from Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on account of sickness.

31. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Andrew G. C. Quay*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 100, September 6, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

32. The leave of absence granted Captain *Robert K. Evans*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

33. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas W. Connell*, 9th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 85, September 9, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

34. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *William A. Purdy*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers,

is relieved from duty in this city and will proceed to and take station at Honolulu, Sandwich Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, September 21, 1898.*

By direction of the President, the unexecuted portion of the sentence published in Special Orders, No. 179, August 1, 1898, from this office, in the case of Private *Richard J. Meany*, Company, A, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Monroe, Virginia, is remitted, and he will be sent to join his regiment at Jacksonville, Florida.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,

Acting Secretary of War.

36. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 78, Special Orders, No. 219, September 16, 1898, from this office, is amended so as to direct Acting Assistant Surgeon *George Dock*, U. S. Army, to proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 184, August 6, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *John G. Ballance*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, is amended by adding thereto the words: The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. First Lieutenant *Alexander L. Dade*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Stapleton, Staten Island, New York, on sick leave, will proceed to join his regiment at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month and ten days, to take effect on or about September 26, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Powell Clayton, jr.*, 5th U. S. Cavalry.

40. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

Major *Rufus M. Townsend*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will, upon the completion of his duties on the transport "*Seguranca*," to which he was assigned by Special Orders, No. 72, August 6, 1898, headquarters 4th Army Corps, proceed from New York City to Huntsville,

Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence of the 2d Division, 4th Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Eleutheros Hugh Cooke*, 10th Infantry, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding officer of his regiment for assignment to a company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Medad C. Martin*, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed from this city to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, on official business of the Quartermaster's Department pertaining to construction at that post, and, upon the completion thereof, will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the President, Captain *Walter L. Bouvé*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Patrick Egan*, Company C, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Sig Messing*, Company A, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Herbert Senior* and Private *William Kimlin*, Company E; Privates *William L. Campbell*, Company G; *John C. Hardy*, Company B, and *David Feder*, Company L, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Denis F. O'Sullivan*, Company M, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William T. Godfrey*, Company C, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Maurice Mulcahy* and Private *Martin F. Bergin*, Company K, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William B. Calkins*, Light Battery H, 1st Ohio Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Edward C. Williamson*, Company G, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant Major *Clifford M. King*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Clyde Edmundson* and *Howard Charter*, Privates *Benjamin F. Hamilton*, *Ned C. Gibson*, and *William A. Brown*, Company B, 7th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *Frank L. Hanson*, Company C, 1st South Dakota Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank L. Van Horn*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the general court-martial appointed to meet at West Point, New

York, by paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 207, September 2, 1898, from this office, is dissolved.

50. A general court-martial is appointed to meet at West Point, New York, at 11 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, September 27, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the trial of such prisoners as may be brought before it.

Detail for the court.

Major *Henry C. Davis*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers (7th Artillery);

Captain *Francis R. Shunk*, Corps of Engineers;

Captain *E. Eveleth Winslow*, Corps of Engineers;

First Lieutenant *Jay J. Morrow*, Corps of Engineers;

First Lieutenant *William Lassiter*, 1st Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Palmer E. Pierce*, 13th Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *William R. Smith*, 1st Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Julian R. Lindsey*, 9th Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Harry H. Stout*, 6th Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *James W. Hinkley, jr.*, 5th Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *William M. Cruikshank*, 1st Artillery,

Judge Advocate.

The court is empowered to proceed with the business before it with any number of members present not less than the *minimum* prescribed by law, the above being the greatest number that can be convened without manifest injury to the service.

51. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Harry H. Tebbetts*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 11, August 26, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

52. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Robert J. Fleming*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff New York, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

53. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank D. Ely*, 9th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, August 28, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on account of sickness, with permission to go beyond the limits of the Department of the East.

54. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Franklin S. Hutton*, 2d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 16, August 31,

1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

55. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Edgar B. Robertson*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 219, September 16, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days.

56. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Henry M. Dichmann*, 7th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on account of sickness.

57. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles B. Vogdes*, 1st Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 94, September 18, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

58. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 184, August 6, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *Deane C. Howard*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is amended by adding thereto the words: The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Jacob E. Bloom*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Cincinnati, Ohio, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. Leave of absence for twenty-three days, to date from September 6, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Joseph T. Maloney*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

61. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Leon A. Merrill*, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 213, paragraph 35, September 9, 1898, from this office, is still further extended fourteen days on account of sickness.

62. By direction of the President, Major *Stephen C. Mills*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, is detailed by the Acting Secretary of War for duty with the commission appointed to investigate the conduct of the War Department in the war with Spain, and will report to the commission accordingly.

63. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Colonel *Henry Chauncey, jr.*, 8th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 211, paragraph 27, September 7, 1898, from this office, is still further extended ten days on account of sickness.

64. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following specified journeys made by Captain *Frederick W. Hyde*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department, are approved as having been necessary for the public service:

August 22, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and return;

August 31, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and return;

September 3, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and return;

September 5, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Middletown, Pennsylvania, and return;

September 7, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and return;

September 9, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and return;

September 12, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and return;

September 14, 1898, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and return.

65. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles O. Pierson*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is detached from the 8th Company of that corps and will report in person to the Assistant Secretary of War.

66. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 23, 1898, of Major *E. Van Arsdale Andruss*, 4th U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Delaware, with station in Middletown, and of Captain *Douglas Settle*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, (1st Lieutenant 10th U. S. Infantry), as his assistant, is announced.

67. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry J. Hunt*, 6th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

68. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William C. Rogers*, 7th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 17, September 1, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

69. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for ten days is granted 2d Lieutenant *Clarence H. McNeil*, 5th Artillery.

70. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Richard L. Livermore*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

71. Leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *Charles C. Clark*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Allen A. Bursley*, Company E, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Will H. Smallwood*, Troop C, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

First Sergeant *Leslie Maxey*, Privates *William J. Stanfield* and *John Benton Maxey*, Company F, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Homer S. Forman*, *Harvey A. Abernathy*, Company E; *Cade Beatha*, Company L, and *Harry R. Cox*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Homer F. Haycock*, Company A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, Montauk Point, New York;

Chief Musician *Harry J. Hackett*, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, Houston, Texas;

Corporal *C. M. Searl*, Company H, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, Porto Rico;

Private *Nat C. Hickey*, Company B, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Manila, Philippine Islands;

Private *Ernest M. Israel*, Company —, 1st North Carolina Infantry, Jacksonville, Florida.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

74. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Wilbert E. Lock* and Musician *James C. Wright*, Company G, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Leo Van Gieson*, Company K, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Fritz Nicklas*, Company C, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank P. Spencer*, Company M, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

76. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert C. Williams*, 1st Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 98, September 21, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month.

77. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 85, August 15, 1898, Department of the Gulf, is extended one month on account of sickness.

78. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James H. Frier*, 17th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

79. By direction of the President, the resignation by Colonel *Albert L. Mills*, Superintendent U. S. Military Academy, 1st Lieutenant, 1st Cavalry, of his commission as Captain and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, only, is accepted, and he is honorably discharged the service of the United States as of the latter grade by the Acting Secretary of War.

80. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Homer F. Aspinwall*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, having reported in this city, as required by telegraphic order of September 22, 1898, will return to New York City and resume his duties on board the steamer "Manitoba." The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Assistant Surgeon *George S. Pitcher*, U. S. Army, is amended so as to direct him to proceed from Portland, Maine, instead of from Portland, Oregon.

82. Second Lieutenant *William F. Stewart, jr.*, 1st U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty with Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, and will proceed to Fort Barrancas, Florida, and join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Sidney J. Meyers*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert W. Andrews*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to New York City and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on transport sailing for Ponce, Porto Rico, September 28, 1898, and, upon his arrival there, will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Harry R. Lemen*, U. S. Army, now at Alton, Illinois, on leave of absence, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, and report in per-

son to the commanding officer for assignment to duty at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. Leave of absence for twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *John Bigelow, jr.*, 10th Cavalry.

87. The leave of absence granted Captain *Jesse L. Hall*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 41, August 7, 1898, from headquarters of that regiment, is extended seven days.

88. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the journeys made, as hereinafter specified, by the following named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, in compliance with telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, are approved as having been necessary for the public service:

J. M. Wheate, from Kent, Indiana, to Huntsville, Alabama, September 1, 1898;

Vernon MacCammon, from Louisville, Kentucky, to Fernandina, Florida, August 28, 1898;

Charles E. McDonald, from Liberty Falls, New York, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, August 28, 1898.

89. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named Acting Assistant Surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City, and thence by transport sailing on the 28th instant, to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty:

W. C. Berlin;

J. Carlisle De Vries;

George G. Morris.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. By direction of the President, Major *George S. Hobart*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect October 20, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. L. Gilchrist*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park,

Georgia, and will proceed to Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person for duty to the chief surgeon at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

92. Second Lieutenant *Thomas A. Pearce*, 7th U. S. Infantry, will remain on duty at Fort Logan, Colorado, until further orders.

93. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *John Turner*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 46, paragraph 14, August 25, 1898, 1st Army Corps, Guayama, Puerto Rico, is extended two months on account of sickness.

94. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *John W. Revelle*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 15, 1898;

Captain *Charles H. Colburn*, 1st Battalion, Nevada Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

Second Lieutenant *Alexander A. Lawrence*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 1, 1898.

95. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *John A. Mather, jr.*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *F. Wallis Armstrong*, Battalion Adjutant, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 1, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Robert W. Watson*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 1, 1898.

96. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *R. M. Fletcher, jr.*, Quartermaster, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

97. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Major *Edward T. McCrystal*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days.

98. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edward H. Martin*, 21st Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 206, September 1, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

99. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Frank Baker*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make two visits from Providence to Fort Adams, Rhode Island, on official business pertaining to the inspection of seacoast-gun carriages, and, upon the completion thereof, will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

100. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Adam Slaker*, 6th Artillery, is detailed as a member of the examining board convened at Fort Monroe, Virginia, by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *William B. Homer*, 6th Artillery, who is hereby relieved.

101. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Corps of Engineers are ordered:

Second Lieutenant *Edwin R. Stuart* is relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Major *Henry M. Adams*, to take effect upon the expiration of his present leave of absence, and will report in person to the commanding officer of the post of Willets Point, New York, for duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School;

Second Lieutenant *Lytle Brown* is relieved from duty with Company E, Battalion of Engineers, West Point, New York, to take effect upon the expiration of his present leave of absence, and will proceed to and take station at Savannah, Georgia, and report to Captain *Cassius E. Gillette*, for duty under his immediate orders.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

102. By direction of the President, Captain *Miller R. Downing*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

103. Captain *Warren H. Cowles*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty with the 16th U. S. Infantry, and will pro-

ceed to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

104. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Samuel D. Sturgis*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from San Francisco, California, to St. Paul, Minnesota, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Dakota, for assignment to temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

105. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Ernest Stecker* (appointed September 24, 1898. from 1st Sergeant, Troop M, 7th Cavalry), now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, will be sent to Madison Barracks, New York. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

106. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *George D. Hall*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, is assigned to duty at that post.

107. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Murdoch Campbell*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

108. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George E. Lane*, Hospital Corps, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

109. Private *Alex Green*, Company —, 25th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, is transferred to the 9th Cavalry at that station, and will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a troop.

110. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following assignments of officers of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, to vacancies in that corps, are announced:

Additional 2d Lieutenant *William D. Connor*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from June 11, 1897, vice *Kutz*, promoted;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *John C. Oakes*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from June 11, 1897, vice *Walker*, promoted;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Louis C. Wolf*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from June 11, 1897, vice *Johnston*, promoted;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Henry S. Morgan*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from June 11, 1897, vice *Raymond*, promoted [Lieutenant *Morgan* was drowned August 31, 1898].

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Sherwood A. Cheney*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from June 11, 1897, vice *Ladue*, promoted;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Frederick W. Altstaetter*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from June 11, 1897, vice *Barden*, promoted;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Harley B. Ferguson*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from June 11, 1897, vice *Schulz*, promoted;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Frank C. Boggs, jr.*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from April 26, 1898, vice *Burgess*, promoted;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Clarke S. Smith*, to an original vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from April 26, 1898;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *William P. Wooten*, to an original vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, July 5, 1898, with rank from April 26, 1898;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Lytle Brown*, to a vacancy of 2d Lieutenant, August 31, 1898, with rank from April 26, 1898, vice *Morgan*, deceased.

111. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Marx*, Company E, 8th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

112. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Archie J. Holmes*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

113. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *George Peterson*, Company C, 1st Maryland Volunteer

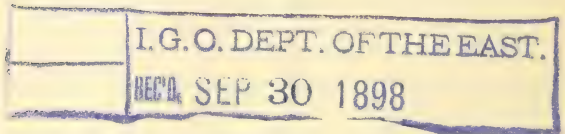
Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 4, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

114. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur C. Averbek*, Troop F, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

115. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 203, August 29, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as relates to Private *William J. Lockhart*, Company G, 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, transferring him to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is amended to read, "to date July 5, 1898."

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS,
No. 227.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 26, 1898.

1. Private *Milton L. G. Smith*, Company D, 12th Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Sergeant *John T. Doudican* and Private *Charles W. Payntor*, Battery G, 1st Artillery, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in Special Orders, No. 8, September 21, 1898, Camp Frank Ardmore, Indian Territory, will return to that station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for three days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

3. Private *Thomas H. Harris*, Company E, 12th Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for the soldier to carry rations of any kind.

4. Sergeant *Leander E. Bonham* and Private *Ernest Kuver*, Company H, 3d Infantry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in Special Orders, No. 104, September 21, 1898, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will return to that station. Sergeant *Bonham* has permission to delay five days *en route*. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

5. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Private *C. O. Snoderly*, Company F, 2d Tennessee Infantry Volunteers, now in this city on furlough, without means, will be sent to Jellico, Tennessee, the place to which his furlough permits him to go. The cost of transportation will be charged against him on the next pay roll of his company.

6. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Private *John Killalea*, Company B, 69th New York Infantry Volunteers, now in this city on furlough, without means, will be sent to his regiment at Huntsville, Alabama. The cost of

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transportation will be charged against him on the next pay roll of his company.

7. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Guy V. Henry*, 4th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

8. Leave of absence for fifteen days, beginning on or about October 1, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Palmer E. Pierce*, 13th Infantry.

9. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William Wallace*, 7th Infantry, in Special Orders, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

10. By direction of the President, Major *William H. Devine*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Adolph Schenck* and *Paul R. Brown*, Hospital Corps, now on duty aboard the Hospital Ship "Relief," are detailed as acting hospital stewards. They will report for duty to Major *Alfred E. Bradley*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Mathew J. Conway*, Company B, 6th Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at his home in Pittsfield, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herman R. Hasenbalg*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at Camp Wikoff, New York, is transferred to Company M, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry. He will report for duty to the commanding officer of that regiment.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *Truman*

K. Hunt, Company L, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

15. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, will repair to this city and report in person for instructions to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. E. Sears*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to New York City and report to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on transport sailing September 28, 1898, for Ponce, Porto Rico, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Marshall M. Cloud*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding officer, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Evan H. Howell*, assistant surgeon, 5th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now at U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will proceed to join his regiment at Santiago, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Robbins*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James H. McDermott*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates

Richard H. Norris and *George R. Dudley*, Battery H, 7th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Ryan*, Hospital Corps, now at Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *George F. Ewing*, Company D, 21st Infantry, is revoked.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George F. Ewing*, Hospital Corps, now at Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay, but transportation to the United States must be furnished him.

25. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 216, September 13, 1898, is amended to read as follows:

By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *H. W. Eliot* and *R. C. Holcomb*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. The unexpired portion of the leave of absence granted Chaplain *George F. Dudley*, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 203, paragraph 41, August 29, 1898, from this office, having been relinquished by that officer on September 12, 1898, he is, by direction of the Acting Secretary of War, placed on waiting orders as of last named date.

27. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for ten days is granted Captain *Norton Chase*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

28. Leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *Claude L. Clarke*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Hayne*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, Chickamauga, Georgia, is transferred to Company D, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry. He will be sent to the station of that company, Columbia, South Carolina, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

30. Second Lieutenant *Robert McCleave*, 2d U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Lexington, Kentucky, and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness, to take effect upon his arrival at Lexington, Kentucky, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert McCleave*, 2d Infantry.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Howard Granville Sharpe*, Company F, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

33. The leave of absence for thirty days heretofore granted Captain *J. E. Jarnigan*, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

34. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Bernard Rogers*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Andrew J. Libano*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

35. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Major *T. D. Landon*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

Captain *L. A. Livandais, jr.*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *O. P. Storm*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 1, 1898.

36. The following order is published for the information of all concerned:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, September 26, 1898.*

I.--By direction of the President, War Department order, dated Washington, September 12, 1898, published in paragraph 31, Special Orders, No. 215, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, September 12, 1898, detailing Captain *George K. McGunnegle*, 15th Infantry, as Acting Indian Agent at the San Carlos Agency, Arizona Territory, is revoked.

II.--By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 13, 1898, Captain *Henry P. Ritzius*, 25th Infantry, is detailed on temporary duty as Acting Indian Agent at the San Carlos Agency, Arizona Territory, to succeed 1st Lieutenant *Sedgwick Rice*, 7th Cavalry, who has been relieved at his own request, to take effect upon the transfer of the Agency property and funds to his successor. Captain *Ritzius* will proceed at once to the Agency, and upon arrival report by telegraph to the Secretary of the Interior for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,

Acting Secretary of War.

37. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *John E. Hunt*, 25th Infantry.

38. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence on account of sickness heretofore granted Captain *Frederick T. Van Liew*, 2d Infantry, is extended one month.

39. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major General *Adna R. Chaffee*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in the 5th Army Corps, and will proceed to Knoxville, Tennessee, and assume command of the 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, reporting by telegraph to the commanding general of that corps at Lexington, Kentucky. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Brigadier General *John F. Weston*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army), is assigned to duty as Purchasing Commissary in New York City, to relieve Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, of that duty.

41. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John W. Wright*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty in Porto Rico, and will return to the United States on the first Government transport leaving Ponce, and proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Lucien F. Burpee*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to his home, where he is authorized to await orders for his own convenience. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *John B. Inman*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, upon the expiration of his present leave of absence, will proceed to and take station at Chicago, Illinois, pending the arrival of the 7th U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps Company at that place for muster out of the volunteer service. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Theodore Rethers*, assistant surgeon, 1st California Volunteer Infantry, is extended to include October 28, 1898.

45. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Theodore Rethers*, assistant surgeon, 1st California Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect upon the expiration of the leave of absence granted him, October 28, 1898.

46. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for fifteen days, to take effect September 27, 1898, is granted Captain *John J. Ryan*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

47. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Post Chaplain *Ivory H. B. Headley*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 207, September 2, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days.

48. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry W. Sprague*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, in Special Orders, No. 219, September 16, 1898, from this office, is still further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

49. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for six months on surgeon's certificate of disability, with permission to go beyond sea and to apply for an extension of six months, is granted Major *Frederick A. Mahan*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army.

50. Private *John E. Bryson*, Company E, 5th Infantry, now supposed to be at Santiago, Cuba, is, upon his own applica-

tion, transferred to Troop K, 5th Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *George P. Hart*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps. Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Charles G. Redding*, Battery D, 4th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *Edward A. Harper*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles F. Clay*, Company G, 24th Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at Richmond, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Philip H. Stephens*, Hospital Corps, now at Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry J. Bunce*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 6th Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William G. Needham*, Troop B, 4th Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William E. Hamlin*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 1, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station, to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Hugh O. Nevill*, Troop F, 3d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Albert H. Kratzke*, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be sent to Camp Graham, Tybee Island, Georgia. He will report upon his arrival at that station to the commanding officer for duty.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Theodore M. Jones*, Troop E, 2d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Charles E. Booth*, Troop F, 7th Cavalry, now at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, is transferred as 1st class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army, and assigned to duty as telegraph operator, U. S. military telegraph office, at that post.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Max Arendt*, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as private and detailed as acting hospital steward. He will be sent to Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will report upon his arrival to the surgeon in charge there for duty.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert T. Kemptner*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at No. 1215 First avenue, New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the

stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Edward P. Bailey* and *Perley B. Smith*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Henry E. Perry*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *George L. Brown*, Hospital Corps, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Edwin R. Watson*, Hospital Corps, Department of the Pacific (Manila);

Private *Royal E. Sego*, Troop H, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Clayton Hilligoss*, Troop K, 5th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Charles M. Morris*, Troop F, and *Warren L. Boyer*, Troop L, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Robert B. Miller* and Private *Benjamin Goldstein*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *William B. Fairbanks*, Company L, 2d Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *William J. Kollar*, Company —, 12th Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Benjamin F. Goodwin*, Hospital Corps, Headquarters 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

64. The journey from Boston, Massachusetts, to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Timothy F. Goulding*, U. S. Army, on official business, under telegraphic instructions of August 18, 1898, from the Surgeon General's Office, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Alexander McF. McMaster*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on steamer sailing for Santiago, Cuba, on the 28th instant, and upon his arrival there will report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William J. Pardee*, 25th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from recruiting duty in New York City and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Charles W. Taylor*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to New York City and report in person to Major *Folliot A. Whitney*, 6th U. S. Infantry, for assignment to recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. Captain *George B. Walker*, 6th U. S. Infantry, now at Evansville, Indiana, will, when able to travel, proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, September 26, 1898.*

The proceedings of the general court-martial published in Special Field Order, No. 10, Headquarters 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, on board Transport No. 30, at sea, July 23, 1898, in the cases of Privates *C. R. Stevens*, Company G, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, and *William Dwyer*, Company C, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, having been found to be illegal, the sentences in these cases, which imposed dishonorable discharge and which have been executed, are declared to be void and are hereby set aside.

Privates *Stevens* and *Dwyer* will be honorably discharged by the commanding officers of the regiments to which they belonged, to date from the date of their dishonorable discharge.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,
Acting Secretary of War.

70. Second Lieutenant *Howard M. Smith*, Company H, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having been tried and found guilty of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of the 61st Article of War, by a general court-martial convened at Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, was sentenced, "*To be dismissed the service of the United States.*"

In the foregoing case of 2d Lieutenant *Howard M. Smith*, Company H, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, the sentence is approved.

71. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, a board of officers, to consist of—

Captain *Benjamin K. Roberts*, 5th Artillery;
Captain *Charles W. Taylor*, 9th Cavalry, and
Captain *Isaac W. Littell*, Assistant Quartermaster,

is appointed to meet in New York City as soon as practicable, to appraise the horses desired to be purchased from the Government by the enlisted men of Troop A, New York Volunteer Cavalry. The sale of the horses so appraised will be made through the Depot Quartermaster, New York City.

Such journeys as may be required of Captain *Roberts* in attending the meetings of the board and in returning to his station are necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, and at the request of the officers concerned, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

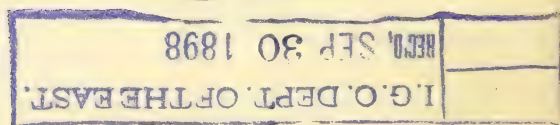
Major *Morris C. Foote*, from the 21st Infantry to the 9th Infantry;

Major *William H. Boyle*, from the 9th Infantry to the 21st Infantry.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN.

Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 228. } Washington, September 27, 1898.

1. Private *George F. Harris*, Troop I, 9th Cavalry, now on furlough in this city, will be sent to Fort Logan, Colorado, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for four days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *William P. Van Ness*, 1st U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service and will proceed to Newark, New Jersey, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Coleman F. Davis*, Company F, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now in this city on furlough without means, will be sent to Lexington, Kentucky, and ordered to report to the commanding officer of his regiment.

4. Private *Frank H. Stewart*, Troop A, 9th Cavalry, now on furlough in this city, will be sent to Fort Logan, Colorado, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty with his troop.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for four days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

5. The leave of absence granted Colonel *B. D. Spilman*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 189, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, September 12, 1898, is extended twenty days.

6. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant *Francis T. Underhill*, Regimental Quartermaster, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 5, 1898;

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First Lieutenant *Herbert D. Utley*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 26, 1898;

First Lieutenant *William A. Campbell*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 26, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Frederick Steigleiter*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 26, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Walter E. Edge*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 26, 1898.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, pertaining to Private *Truman K. Hunt*, Company L, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates. They will be sent to Lexington, Kentucky, and will report upon their arrival to Captain *Frank E. Lyman, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty:

Musician *F. C. Kerns*, band; Privates *W. E. Palmer*, Company E, and *Butler Linesay*, Company L, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Artificer *Benjamin F. Smith*, Privates *Jasper W. Moore* and *Thomas J. Dotson*, Company E, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky;

Privates *Charles O. Baker*, *Albert W. Tabor*, *George P. Thomas* and *William E. Wood*, Company F, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

9. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *W. Hamplin Hoffman*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *A. H. McRoberts*, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Branch Martin*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *David Lowenbein*, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry.

10. On the recommendation of the regimental commander, the following transfers in the 201st New York Volunteer Infantry are ordered:

First Lieutenant *B. V. Curnen*, from Company E to Company G;

First Lieutenant *H. A. Murphy*, from Company G to Company H;

First Lieutenant *E. S. Hartshorn*, from Company I to Company K.

11. First Lieutenant *Robert W. Mearns*, 20th Infantry, now in New York City, New York, will, when able to travel, proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry Clement*, 21st Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 10, August 25, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

13. The leave of absence granted Major *Eugene D. Dimmick*, 5th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 207, September 2, 1898, from this office, is extended to include October 15, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

14. Leave of absence, on account of sickness, from September 23, to October 19, 1898, inclusive, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles F. Bates*, 25th Infantry.

15. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *Samuel L. Hannon*, *Edwin P. Hayward*, and *Dudley W. Welch*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City, and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on steamer sailing for Santiago de Cuba on the 28th instant, and, upon their arrival there, will report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, September 27, 1898.*

The proceedings of the general court-martial published in Special Orders, No. 57, Headquarters First Army Corps and Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, July 14, 1898, in the case of Trump-

eter *Patrick Murphy*, Troop B, 3d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, having been found to be illegal, the sentence in the case which imposed dishonorable discharge and which has been executed is declared to be void and is hereby set aside.

Trumpeter *Murphy* will be honorably discharged to date from the date of his dishonorable discharge.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,
Acting Secretary of War.

17. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Leon S. Roudiez*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from his present duties with the 5th Army Corps, and will proceed *via* Washington, District of Columbia, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty as Depot Quartermaster at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Benjamin Johnson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from his present duties with the 5th Army Corps, and will proceed *via* Washington, District of Columbia, to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty as assistant to the Depot Quartermaster at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Lucius R. Holbrook*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, will, upon the completion of his examination in New York City for transfer to the Ordnance Department, return *via* Fort Sherman, Idaho, to his proper station, Boise Barracks, Idaho, and he is authorized to delay ten days *en route*. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *John C. Breckinridge*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed without delay from New York City to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty as Brigade Quartermaster, 2d Brigade, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *James K. Hamilton*, Company L, 3d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at Kansas City, Kansas, is transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as a 1st class private.

He will sent to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and will report upon arrival to the Commanding Officer of the 6th Signal Corps Company for duty.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *R. L. Murphy*, Troop C, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report to the Chief Signal Officer, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Hospital Steward *Hyman Finkelstone*, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Jacob E. Bloom*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

25. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, directing certain acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, to proceed from Tampa, Florida, to Santiago de Cuba, is amended by adding the words: "The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service."

26. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William H. Block*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on steamer sailing September 23, 1898, for Santiago, Cuba, and, upon his arrival there, will report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. The leave of absence granted Major *James M. Bell*, 1st Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 170, August 2, 1898, Department of the East, is extended two months on account of sickness.

28. Leave of absence for three months, on surgeon's certificate of disability, is granted Major *Charles Porter*, 5th U. S. Infantry.

29. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles Byrne*, 6th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 83, September 7, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

30. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Peyton Randolph*, 7th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, will proceed to join his regiment at Lexington, Kentucky, on or before October 10, 1898.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *Thomas H. Reilly* and Private *Lewis J. Wiley*, Company B;

Sergeant *Hugh S. Crosson*, Company E;

Corporals *Gilbert L. Cake* and *James H. Johnson*, Company F;

Sergeant *Charles E. Blauvelt*, Musician *Phillip W. Adams*, and Private *Alfred T. F. Sorensen*, Company I;

Corporal *Gustav Schmidt*, Company M.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of Company A, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by their commanding officers:

Corporals *John W. Zisgen*, *Henry M. Butler*, *Anthony S. Brennan*; Artificer *Joseph Steel*; Privates *Phillip J. Toomey*, *Robert Tindall*, *Albert W. Thornley*, *John W. Smith*, *Alfred P. Rue*, *Charles B. Mullin*, *Walter A. Morton*, *Charles W. Hensley*, *Charles F. Havey*, *Martin E. Corcoran*, *William J. Cassidy*, *David H. Casey*, and *Robert R. Brady*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles B. Harvey*, Company L, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Hospital Steward *Allen D. McLean*, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Willard G. Teaster*, Company D, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. The leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Burnett F. Bliss*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 65, Department of the Lakes, August 22, 1898, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

37. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Francis J. Cronin*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 51, August 17, 1898, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, Fernandina, Florida, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edward F. McGlachlin, jr.*, Quartermaster, 5th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 196, August 30, 1898, Department of the East, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

39. Private *Frank L. Russell*, Company D, 22d New York Volunteers, having been tried and found guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War, and of violation of the 32d Article of War, by a general court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, was sentenced "To be confined at hard labor for four (4) months, under charge of the post guard, and to forfeit ten (\$10) dollars per month for the same period."

The sentence is approved and will be duly executed.

40. Second-class Private *Archibald A. Woodhull*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, having been tried and found guilty of quitting his guard, in violation of the 40th Article of War, and absence without leave, in violation of the 32d Article of War, by a general court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be confined at hard labor, under charge of the post guard, for four (4) months and to forfeit ten (\$10) dollars per month for the same period.*"

The sentence is approved and will be duly executed.

41. Private *Edward Morrissey*, Battery K, 7th Artillery, having been tried and found guilty of absence without leave, in violation of the 32d Article of War, by a general court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be confined at hard labor for one month and to forfeit one month's pay.*"

The sentence is approved and will be duly executed.

42. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Pierre C. Stevens*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, now on temporary duty in this city under verbal instructions from the Secretary of War, is assigned to duty in the office of the Paymaster General of the Army, with station in Washington, District of Columbia, to date from September 12, 1898.

43. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Lawson M. Fuller*, Ordnance Department, will make not exceeding five visits during the month of October, 1898, to the works of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, of Steelton, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of seacoast mortar carriages, and, upon the completion thereof, will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John A. Perry*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

45. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Robert L. Hamilton*, 5th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 22, September 10, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

46. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *David A. Lyle*, Ordnance Department, will make not exceeding fifteen visits from October 1, 1898, to December 31, 1898, from the Midvale Steel Works, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to the works of the Penn Steel Casting and Machine Company, Chester, Pennsylvania, and to the works of the American Steel Casting Company, Thurlow, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of seacoast gun carriages, and, upon the completion thereof, will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. The journey recently performed by 1st Lieutenant *Joseph A. Carr*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, from Siboney, Cuba, to Washington, District of Columbia, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Stephen M. Gonzalez*, U. S. Army, is revoked.

49. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Lawrence B. Simonds*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

50. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 6th Army Corps, and will repair to this city and report in person for instructions to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. The journey from Santiago, Cuba, to Montauk Point, New York, on the Steamer "Vigilancia," performed by Majors *John W. Fogler* and *William H. Thrift*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James R. Gillespie*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from duty as judge advocate of the general court-martial appointed by Special Orders, No. 192, August 16,

1898, from this office, and 1st Lieutenant *Thomas H. R. Clarke*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is detailed as judge advocate of the said court.

53. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 26, 1898, of Major *Stephen P. Jocelyn*, 19th U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Vermont, with station in Burlington, and of Captain *Henry W. Hovey*, 24th U. S. Infantry, as his assistant, is announced.

54. The journey recently performed by Lieutenant Colonel *Eugene J. Spencer*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, between Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, and return, on official business pertaining to the transfer of the regiment to the last-named station, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty September 26, 1898, of Major *Jacob A. Augur*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Kansas, with station in Fort Leavenworth, and of Captain *William B. Reynolds*, 14th U. S. Infantry, as his assistant, is announced.

56. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *George B. Heinecke*, United States Army, will proceed from this city to New York City and report to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, United States Volunteers, for transportation on steamer sailing September 28, 1898, for Santiago, Cuba, and upon his arrival there will report in person to the commanding general of the troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Captain *Samuel N. Bridgman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence of a brigade of that corps.

58. Leave of absence for two months, to date from August 29, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Benjamin F. Hardaway*, 17th Infantry.

59. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Alvan C. Read*, 13th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

60. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *Eugene Coffin*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Harrisburg, Phoenixville, and such other places in Pennsylvania as may be necessary to pay the 4th Pennsylvania Infantry, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Matthew A. Batson*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, will report in person to Major General *Joseph Wheeler*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John H. Parker*, 13th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

63. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Campbell E. Babcock*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 86, September 10, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

64. The leave of absence granted Major *William C. Daniels*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 13, August 28, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

65. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Thomas M. Woodruff*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 86, September 10, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is changed to a leave of absence on account of sickness and extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

66. First Lieutenant *Frederic T. Stetson*, 3d Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will, when able to travel, proceed to Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Morton F. Smith*, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27,

1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

68. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Alexander M. Miller, jr.*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 8, August 23, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

69. Major *Frank Gordon*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect September 30, 1898.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Henry Connelly*, Company K, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank Campbell*, Company M, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *C. C. Nash*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William Wallace Barr*, Company D, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John Yielding*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps;

Private *Benjamin R. Williams*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Thomas R. Gough*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

74. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following transfers, made by the President, are announced:

Second Lieutenant *Guy V. Henry, jr.*, from the 4th U. S. Infantry to the 1st U. S. Cavalry, Troop L, September 26, 1898, with rank from April 26, 1898, vice *Glasgow*, promoted;

Second Lieutenant *Wallace B. Scales*, from the 15th U. S. Infantry to the 6th U. S. Cavalry, Troop F, September 26, 1898, with rank from April 26, 1898, vice *Phillips*, promoted. He will accompany the 15th U. S. Infantry to Huntsville, Alabama, and there join the 6th U. S. Cavalry.

75. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Brigadier General *John F. Weston*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel and Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army), will temporarily relieve Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, of his duties as Chief Commissary, Department of the East, and Colonel *Woodruff*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to such places as may be necessary and carry out the instructions he may receive from time to time from the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. Leave of absence for four months is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Stevens T. Norvell*, 9th Cavalry.

77. By direction of the President, paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 215, September 12, 1898, from this office, honorably discharging Major *Campbell E. McMichael*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is amended by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect October 31, 1898.

78. So much of paragraph 68, Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, from this office, as relates to 2d Lieutenant *John H. Rice*, 3d Cavalry, is so amended as to require him to join his troop after his examination with a view to transfer to the Ordnance Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

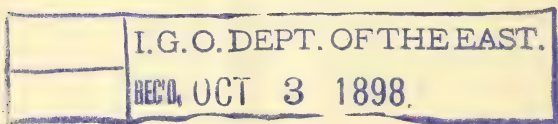
79. The resignation by Major *Morris C. Foote*, 21st U. S. Infantry, of his commission as Major and Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, only, has been accepted by the President.

80. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 24, 1898, of Major *Cyrus S. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Ohio, with station in Columbus, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, is announced:

Captain *Joseph B. Batchelor, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry;
First Lieutenant *Harry R. Lee*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
First Lieutenant *Melvin W. Rowell*, 5th U. S. Cavalry.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 229. } Washington, September 28, 1898.

1. Private *Edward T. Carter*, Troop F, 1st Cavalry, now on furlough in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Riley, Kansas, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for three days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Corporal *Wilholm Fennell* and Private *John J. Finn*, Battery C, 4th Artillery, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 162, September 26, 1898, Fort McHenry, Maryland, will return to that station. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

3. Private *Patrick F. O'Shea*, Troop G, 6th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer of that regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Theodore J. Gilson* and *Charles C. McCullough*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Greble, Rhode Island, are transferred to Fort Adams, Rhode Island. They will be sent to that post and will report upon their arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John W. Davis*, Troop M, 2d Cavalry, now on furlough and supposed to be at his home, Reading, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. Private *Frank Aldridge*, Company —, 8th Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the 9th Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Madison Barracks, New York, for assignment to a company.

Adjutant General

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, discharging Captain *Joseph E. Willard*, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 8, 1898, on tender of resignation, is, at his own request, revoked.

8. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank L. Matthews*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 224, paragraph 21, September 22, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Preston B. Ray*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *C. B. Garnett*, Company M, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *W. S. Haily* and Private *C. C. Fitzhugh*, Company B, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Charles C. Beckman*, Corporal *Daniel F. Groscost*, and Private *Richard D. Hendrickson*, Company G, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Wilson M. Slaughter*, Company —, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *John B. Redford*, Company I, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station of Privates *John S. Reynolds* and *Charles M. Miller*, Company A, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Charles O. Applehagen*, Company G, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Hal J. Morlan*, Company K, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George W. Campbell*, Company G, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Harry James Long*, Company E, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations, the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frederick L. Kriebel*, Company G, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jack Hardy*, Company M, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George S. Williams*, 2d Division Ambulance Company, 1st Army Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *O. V. Sessoms*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *B. C. Trigg*, Company C, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lewis Myers*, Company —, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George W. Falls*, Company A, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Hospital Steward *Francis M. Munson*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Dudley L. Munson*, Company H, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Private *O. Mayo Boatner*, Company —, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry B. Stevens*, Company A, 1st Colorado Light Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Herbert R. Belford*, Light Battery A, Colorado Volunteer Artillery;

Corporal *William J. Wittich*, Company C, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *J. C. Griffin*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT. *Washington, September 24, 1898.*

By direction of the President, the unexecuted portion of the sentence published in Special Orders, No. 181, August 3, 1898, from this office, in the case of Private *John W. Thornton*, Company L, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Monroe, Virginia, is remitted, and he will be sent to join his regiment at Jacksonville, Florida.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,

Acting Secretary of War.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter D. La Porte*, Company —, 21st Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Norton*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, now at West Point, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post

the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jack Blauton*, Hospital Corps, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to San Francisco, California, and will report upon his arrival there to the Commanding General, Department of California, for duty. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred J. Fisher, jr.*, Battery G, 1st Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Myer*, Troop B, 6th Cavalry, now supposed to be on furlough at McKeesport, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Marion O. Fulcher*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James R. McAllister*, Hospital Corps, 5th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter J. Gault*, Battery F, 1st Artillery, now at Camp Graham, Tybee Island, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Joseph Zeising*, Jefferson Barracks, Mis-

souri, will, on expiration of furlough, be sent to Fort Riley, Kansas. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

35. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *Charles A. Hagberg*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 205, paragraph 46, August 31, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

36. Leave of absence for one month from September 26, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability, in extension of the leave of absence heretofore granted him in Special Orders, No. 50, 1st Army Corps, August 30, 1898, is granted Major *John C. Speaks*, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William A. Shirey*, Hospital Corps, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Walter S. Elliot*, Hospital Corps, camp near Coamo, Porto Rico;

Private *Theodore Heege*, Troop H, 2d Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Thomas Riordan*, Troop B, and *Charles M. Harris*, Troop F, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *George Niemeyer*, Company M, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Sollie Metz*, Company K, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *William F. Jarvis*, *Albert C. Kennedy*, *Joel W. Rowan*, and *George F. Wright*, Hospital Corps, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred E. Schlicher*, Troop B, 8th Cavalry, now at Fort Washakie, Wyoming, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Ephraim Stevenson* (appointed September 27, 1898),

now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to Anniston, Alabama. He will be sent to that station and will report for duty upon his arrival to the Commanding General, 3d Army Corps.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Harwood*, Hospital Corps, now on duty in the 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, in Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, to enable him to accept appointment as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert H. Burney*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Howell S. Bontecon*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph Ward*, Battery A. 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William P. A. Fitzgerald*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, supposed to be at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States:

Privates *Henry M. Hewitt*, *F. Pettigrew*, and *H. H. Stearns*, Hospital Corps;

Hospital Stewards *Benjamin F. Frank* and *William R. Kirk*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Albert L. Miller*, Company L, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Chaplain *E. W. Trimm*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 30, 1898;

Captain *R. M. Bushnell*, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *John G. Byrne*, assistant surgeon, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *Charles H. Schlichter*, assistant surgeon, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 15, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Howard Ackerman*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

Second Lieutenant *Frederick T. Peitch*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

Second Lieutenant *Charles R. Izard*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

47. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Laurence L. Gillespie*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Wilkie Woodard*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to his home and there await orders, reporting by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *A. Wilson Norris*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will report to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty with the 3d Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps.

50. The telegraphic orders from this office, under date of September 8, 1898, directing Sergeant *William W. Reese*, 3d Cavalry, to proceed from Somerville, Massachusetts, to New Ulm, Minnesota, to report for duty to Captain *G. H. Morgan*, U. S. mustering officer, in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Minnesota, are hereby

confirmed. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation and the Subsistence Department commutation of rations for three days.

51. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Major General *Adna R. Chaffee*, U. S. Volunteers.

52. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted Lieutenant Colonel *John Van R. Hoff*, chief surgeon, U. S. Army, on account of sickness.

53. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *John F. Preston, jr.*, Adjutant, 16th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 89, current series, Headquarters, 5th Army Corps, is further extended one month.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Washnigton Barracks, District of Columbia, (recently returned from Porto Rico), will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers, to date October 1, 1898:

Ninth Company.—Sergeant *J. E. Preston*; Corporal *F. J. Sullivan*; Privates *H. D. Fish*, *H. C. Showalter*, *J. E. Mooney*, *F. S. Crabbe*, *W. P. Langan*, *L. M. Whitney*, *G. J. Skinner*, *J. P. Smith*, *I. Weill*, *F. Snyder*, and *W. Sheehan*.

Seventh Company.—1st Class Sergeant *J. M. Scott*; Corporals *W. Stevens*, *A. R. Hutchison*, *Peter A. Johnson*; Privates *Henry W. Teed*, *Virginus W. Johnson*, *Michael J. Mahan*, *David Anderson*, *Arthur G. Schrier*, *Richard D. Ward*, *C. Egelton*, *John H. Argersenger*, *Daniel B. Force*, *Otto T. Oswald*, *Calvin H. Shively*, *Edward C. Lepper*, *H. H. Shinne-man*, *A. H. Nevins*, *Samuel A. McClure*, *James A. McDonald*; Sergeants *Frank J. Guest* and *James H. Irwin*, and Corporal *Clyde H. Dalrymple*.

Fourth Company.—1st Class Sergeants *Frank Keene* and *James S. Haintz*; Corporals *Henry Kuhlman*, *Langon H. Russell*, *Edward C. Miller*, and *Harry S. Shepler*; Privates *Victor H. Adami*, *Henry F. Ashley*, *C. J. Callahan*, *L. M. Ewing*, *James M. Fay*, *Richard Holding*, *Low S. Klien*, *John W. McGrady*, *Chas. T. Mahan*, *Francis J. McCanna*, *Franklin M. Moore*, *Andrew S. May*, *D. D. Quinn*, *Joseph W. Russell*, *Charles A. Schoone*, *Louis E. Schoone*, *Jacob Selmertz*, *Austin I. Smith*, *S. M. Vander Voort*, *John Van Roy*, *Wm. E. Wier*,

Milton R. Waugaman, Frank W. West, Earl C. Zobb, Henry M. Boyd, John Berkly, Wm. A. Bowman, William C. Eaton, Rufus H. May, Rose E. Parker, Stewart D. Yarnell, Fred C. Zierath, Jos. H. Weaver.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George E. Howard*, Battery A, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Greble, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Kenny*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 8th Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *James Fitzgerald*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to the 8th Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *Edwin F. Ambrose*, now in Porto Rico, to West Point, New York, to relieve Commissary Sergeant *Patrick Kenealy*;

Sergeant *Kenealy*, when thus relieved, to Battery Point, Delaware.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles C. Jacobs*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Hawley, Galveston, Texas, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that camp.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Thomas Billings* and *Thomas Ruarke*, Hospital Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ira W. Horton*, Troop C, 3d Cavalry, now on furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty September 27, 1898, of Captain *Walter Howe*, 4th U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Connecticut, with station in Niantic, and of Captain *John P. Wisser*, 7th U. S. Artillery, as his assistant, is announced.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, September 27, 1898, of Captain *George H. Morgan*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Minnesota, with station in St. Paul, and of 1st Lieutenant *Matthew F. Steele*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, as his assistant, is announced.

64. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 221, September 19, 1898, from this office, as reads 1st Lieutenant *William F. Terri-berry*, assistant surgeon, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read "1st Lieutenant *William S. Terri-berry*, assistant surgeon, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry."

65. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *William R. Sample*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 25, August 21, 1898, 1st Division, 5th Army Corps, and extended in Special Orders, No. 20, Camp Wikoff, New York, and Special Orders, No. 88, September 12, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is changed to leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability and further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

66. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the retirement from active service by the President, this date, of Major General *Wm. Montrose Graham*, U. S. Volunteers, as

Brigadier General, U. S. Army, only, by operation of law, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1882, is announced.

67. Major *William F. Spurgin*, 23d U. S. Infantry, Quartermaster and Disbursing Officer at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, will proceed to New York City on official business, and, upon the completion of the same, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty September 27, 1898, of Captain *Edwin P. Andrus*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Wisconsin, with station in Milwaukee, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, is announced:

Captain *William L. Buck*, 13th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John C. McArthur*, 3d U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Vernon A. Caldwell*, 25th U. S. Infantry.

69. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *John E. Hunt*, 25th Infantry.

70. By direction of the President, Captain *Howard A. Giddings*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect November 1, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John M. G. Woodbury*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is detailed as a member of the board of officers appointed by paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 211, September 7, 1898, from this office, and paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 223, September 21, 1898, from this office, to meet at the Army Building, New York City, to make regulations for the government of troops on transports.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Francis B. Jones*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, Chief Quartermaster, Department of the Lakes, will repair to this city from Chicago, Illinois, and report in person to the president of the Commission to Investigate the Conduct of the

War Department in the War with Spain, for duty as disbursing officer of that commission. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles D. Palmer*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will perform the duties of Chief Quartermaster, Department of the Lakes, in addition to his present duties, during the temporary absence of Lieutenant Colonel *Francis B. Jones*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

74. Leave of absence from August 28, 1898, to October 11, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted Colonel *C. L. Kennan*, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

75. The journey from this city to Manassas Junction, Virginia, and return, performed by Captain *Elias H. Parsons*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, under verbal instructions of September 4, 1898, from the Quartermaster General of the Army, on official business connected with the Quartermaster's Department, is approved by the Acting Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

76. Lieutenant Colonel *Jacob H. Smith*, 12th U. S. Infantry, will, upon the expiration of his present sick leave, proceed to join his regiment at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Louis Brechemin*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the President, Major *Clayton Parkhill*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Post Chaplain *Leslie R. Groves*, U. S. Army, in

Special Orders, No. 204, August 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

80. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederick L. Palmer*, 21st Infantry.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *A. E. Mackenzie*, Battery D, 1st California Volunteer Artillery, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William F. Flynn*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed from Kansas City, Missouri, to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for the purpose of transferring his responsibility pertaining to post exchange, ordnance and signal property at that post, and, upon completion of this duty, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. First Lieutenant *Isaac N. Lewis*, 6th Artillery, Recorder of the Board of Ordnance and Fortification, will repair to and take station in this city October 1, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. Captain *William H. Beck*, 10th Cavalry, is detailed by the Secretary of War as Acting Inspector General of the Department of the Missouri, and will proceed *via* this city to Omaha, Nebraska, and report to the department commander for duty accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Fredrik L. Knudsen*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 18, September 2, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

86. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George H. Jamerson*, 7th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 16, August 31, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

87. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank S. Cochen*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 207, paragraph

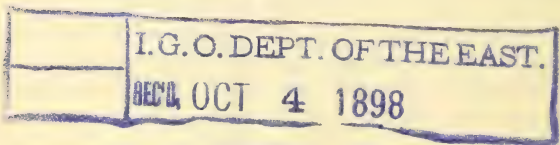
44, September 2, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

88. The leave of absence granted Captain *Harry L. Haskell*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 10, August 25, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

89. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Reuben B. Turner*, 6th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 230.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 29, 1898.

1. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing Captain *M. O. Hollis*, 4th Infantry, to proceed to Mobile, Alabama, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Alabama, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. The telegraphic orders from this office through Commanding General, Department of the Gulf, under date of September 2, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *G. W. Van Deusen*, 1st Artillery, to proceed from Sullivans Island, South Carolina, to Mobile, Alabama, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Alabama, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing Captain *J. M. Burns*, 17th Infantry, to proceed from Charleston, West Virginia, to Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Arkansas, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 3, 1898, directing Captain *S. Pratt*, 3d Artillery, to proceed from Fort Point, California, to San Francisco, California, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of California, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 3, 1898, directing Captain *H. C. Danes*, 3d Artillery, to proceed from Fort Point, California, to San Francisco, California, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of California, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 24, 1898, directing Captain *Douglas Settle*, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 10th Infantry), to proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Delaware City, Delaware, on duty in connection with the muster out of the vol-

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unteer forces of the State of Delaware, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. The written orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Captain *P. E. Trippe*, 10th Cavalry, to proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Griffin, Georgia, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Georgia, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *F. L. Palmer*, 21st Infantry, to proceed to Griffin, Georgia, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Georgia, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. The telegraphic orders from this office through commanding general, U. S. forces, Huntsville, Alabama, under date of August 23, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *J. McL. Carter*, 5th Cavalry, to proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to Griffin, Georgia, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Georgia, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Captain *R. P. P. Wainwright*, 1st Cavalry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Illinois, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 10, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *M. F. Davis*, 1st Cavalry, to proceed to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Illinois, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 31, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *F. V. Krüg*, 20th Infantry, to proceed from Chicago, Illinois, to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on duty in connection with the muster out of the

volunteer forces of the State of Illinois, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *George E. French*, 4th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Illinois, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *Halstead Dorey*, 4th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Illinois, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 28, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *E. S. Walton*, 18th Infantry, to proceed from Covington, Louisiana, to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Illinois, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *J. C. Waterman*, 8th Cavalry, to proceed to Indianapolis, Indiana, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Indiana, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. The telegraphic orders from this office through commanding general, Montauk, Long Island, under date of August 23, 1898, directing Lieutenant *E. R. Chrisman*, 6th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Indianapolis, Indiana, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Indiana, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. The telegraphic orders from this office through commanding general, Montauk, New York, under date of Au-

gust 23, 1898, directing Lieutenant *C. L. Beckurts*, 6th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Indianapolis, Indiana, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Indiana, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Captain *D. L. Howell*, 7th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk, Long Island, New York, to Des Moines, Iowa, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Iowa, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Captain *J. A. Olmsted*, 9th Cavalry, to proceed to Des Moines, Iowa, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Iowa, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Lieutenant *John F. Stephens*, 10th Infantry, to proceed to Des Moines, Iowa, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Iowa, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 25, 1898, directing Major *J. A. Augur*, 4th Cavalry, to proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Kansas, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 30, 1898, directing Captain *R. M. Rogers*, 2d Artillery, to proceed from Fort Preble, Maine, to Augusta, Maine, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Maine, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 30, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *John D. Barrette*, 7th Artillery, to proceed from Fort Preble, Maine, to Augusta

Maine, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Maine, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. The verbal orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Major *W. P. Vose*, 6th Artillery, to proceed to Fort McHenry, Maryland, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Maryland, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *A. F. Curtis*, 6th Artillery, to proceed to Fort McHenry, Maryland, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Maryland, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *R. H. McMaster*, 6th Artillery, to proceed from Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Maryland, to Pimlico, Maryland, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Maryland, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 28, 1898, directing Lieutenant Colonel *E. M. Weaver*, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 1st Artillery), to proceed to South Framingham, Massachusetts, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Massachusetts, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 28, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *Clint C. Hearn*, 7th Artillery, to proceed from Fort Slocum, New York, to South Framingham, Massachusetts, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Massachusetts, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 8, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *Oliver Edwards*, 11th Infantry, to proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to South Framingham, Massachusetts, on duty in

connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Massachusetts, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 30, 1898, directing Major *H. H. Bandholtz*, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 7th U. S. Infantry), to proceed to Camp Eaton, Island Lake, Michigan, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Michigan, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 12, 1898, relieving Major *H. H. Bandholtz*, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 7th U. S. Infantry), mustering officer, from duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Michigan, and from thence to proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, reporting upon arrival for duty with the 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, to take effect upon arrival of Captain *R. J. C. Irvine*, 11th Infantry, mustering officer, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *W. C. Wren*, 17th Infantry, to proceed from Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, to Camp Eaton, Island Lake, Michigan, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Michigan, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 8, 1898, directing Lieutenant Colonel *Will L. White*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, to remain on duty at Island Lake, Michigan, in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Michigan, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 12, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *Dwight W. Ryther*, 6th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, New York, to Camp Eaton, Island Lake, Michigan, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Michigan, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing Captain *G. H. Morgan*, 3d Cavalry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to St. Paul, Minnesota, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Minnesota, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing Lieutenant *M. F. Steele*, 8th Cavalry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Duluth, Minnesota, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Minnesota, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 26, 1898, directing Major *H. R. Brinkerhoff*, 15th Infantry, to proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Missouri, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 26, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *Ralph Harrison*, 2d Cavalry, to proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Missouri, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *W. S. Flynn*, 8th Cavalry, to proceed from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to Kansas City, Missouri, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Missouri, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 15, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *Willis Uline*, 12th Infantry, to proceed from New York City to Kansas City, Missouri, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Missouri, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 26, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *G. McD. Weeks*, 15th Infantry, to proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Missouri, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing Captain *W. B. Homer*, 6th Artillery, to proceed from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to Lauderdale Springs, Mississippi, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Mississippi, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The telegraphic orders from this office through Commanding General, Department of the Gulf, under date of September 2, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *Frank E. Harris*, 1st Artillery, to proceed from Mobile, Alabama, to Lauderdale Springs, Mississippi, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Mississippi, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Captain *W. H. Kell*, 22d Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, *via* Washington, District of Columbia, to Omaha, Nebraska, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Nebraska, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *W. M. Swaine*, 22d Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Omaha, Nebraska, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Nebraska, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *T. W. Moore*, 22d Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Omaha, Nebraska, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Nebraska,

are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 30, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *W. P. Newcomb*, 5th Artillery, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Concord, New Hampshire, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New Hampshire, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 30, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *Edwin Landon*, 2d Artillery, to proceed from Fort Preble, Maine, to Concord, New Hampshire, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New Hampshire, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 8, 1898, directing Captain *W. C. Buttler*, 3d Infantry, to proceed to Sea Girt, New Jersey, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New Jersey, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *C. A. Bennett*, 3d Artillery, to proceed from San Diego Barracks, California, to Carson City, Nevada, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Nevada, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 21, 1898, directing Major *John H. Calef*, 1st Artillery, to proceed to New York City and to report to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, chief mustering officer, for duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New York, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 11, 1898, directing Captain *Lloyd M. Brett*, 2d Cavalry, to proceed from New York City to Brooklyn, New York, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer

forces of the State of New York, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing Captain *E. R. Hills*, 5th Artillery, to proceed from Fort Hamilton, New York, to Troy, New York, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New York, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *G. W. Gatchell*, 5th Artillery, to proceed from Fort Hancock, New Jersey, to Troy, New York, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New York, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 10, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *J. J. O'Connell*, 21st Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Buffalo, New York, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New York, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *P. R. Ward*, 7th Artillery, to proceed from Fort Slocum, New York, to Troy, New York, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of New York, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 6, 1898, directing Captain *Albert Todd*, 6th Artillery, to proceed from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to Raleigh, North Carolina, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of North Carolina, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing Captain *J. B. Batchelor, jr.*, 24th Infantry, to proceed to Columbus, Ohio, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Ohio, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *J. J. Hornbrook*, 5th Cavalry, to proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to Cleveland, Ohio, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Ohio, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *M. W. Rowell*, 5th Cavalry, to proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Cleveland, Ohio, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Ohio, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 3, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *Harry R. Lee*, 6th Infantry, in addition to his other duties, to proceed from Fort Thomas, Kentucky, to Cincinnati, Ohio, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Ohio, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *David P. Cordray*, 17th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Columbus, Ohio, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Ohio, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *Charles D. Roberts*, 17th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Columbus, Ohio, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Ohio, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 25, 1898, directing Captain *H. F. Kendall*, 8th Cavalry, to proceed to Portland, Oregon, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Oregon, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Major *W. A. Thompson*, 2d Cavalry, to proceed from Grove City, Pennsylvania, *via* Washington, District of Columbia, to Mount Gretna, Pennsylvania, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing Captain *F. Fuger*, 4th Artillery, to proceed from Battery Point, Delaware City, Delaware, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing Captain *E. W. Howe*, 17th Infantry, to proceed to Mount Gretna, Pennsylvania, and from thence to Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, under telegraphic orders of date of September 5, 1898, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. The written orders from this office under date of August 29, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *Amos H. Martin*, 1st Infantry, to proceed from Sharpsburg, Pennsylvania, to Mount Gretna, Pennsylvania, upon expiration of leave of absence granted in Special Orders, No. 154, July 1, 1898, and extended in Special Orders, No. 184, August 6, 1898, both from Adjutant General's Office, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 9, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *D. W. Kilburn*, 3d Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 23, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *W. H. Hay*, 10th Cavalry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Mount Gretna, Pennsylvania, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 9, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *H. G. Trout*, 2d Cavalry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing Captain *E. B. Fuller*, 7th Cavalry, to proceed to Columbia, South Carolina, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of South Carolina, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *William Newman*, 13th Infantry, to proceed to Columbia, South Carolina, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of South Carolina, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 7, 1898, directing Major *B. B. Buck*, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 16th Infantry), to proceed from Jacksonville, Florida, to Dallas, Texas, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Texas, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 30, 1898, relieving Captain *R. H. Patterson*, 1st Artillery, from further duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Louisiana, and directing him to proceed from Jackson Barracks, Louisiana, to Houston, Texas, on duty in connection with the muster out

of the volunteer forces of the State of Texas, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *C. Overton*, 1st Cavalry, to proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Galveston, Texas, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Texas, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 22, 1898, directing Major *S. P. Jocelyn*, 19th Infantry, to proceed from Albany, New York, to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Vermont, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 22, 1898, directing Captain *H. W. Hovey*, 24th Infantry, to report to Major *S. P. Jocelyn*, mustering officer, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Vermont, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 22, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *W. C. Wren*, 17th Infantry, to proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Vermont, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September —, 1898, directing Major *D. C. Shanks*, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 18th Infantry), to proceed to Richmond, Virginia, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Virginia, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 3, 1898, directing Major *David Price*, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 1st Artillery), to proceed to Richmond,

Virginia, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Virginia, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing Captain *Frank Taylor*, 14th Infantry, to proceed to Vancouver Barracks, Washington, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Washington, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 24, 1898, directing Captain *W. L. Buck*, 13th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Camp Douglas Range, Wisconsin, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Wisconsin, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 7, 1898, directing Captain *E. P. Andrus*, 5th Cavalry, to proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Wisconsin, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *V. A. Caldwell*, 25th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Camp Douglas Range, Wisconsin, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Wisconsin, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of August 24, 1898, directing 1st Lieutenant *J. C. McArthur*, 2d Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, to Camp Douglas Range, Wisconsin, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Wisconsin, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 3, 1898, directing Captain *Richard H. Wilson*, 8th Infantry, to proceed from Montauk Point, Long Island, New

York, to Cheyenne, Wyoming, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Wyoming are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *C. H. McNeil*, 5th Artillery, to proceed to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the District of Columbia, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 5, 1898, directing 2d Lieutenant *H. La F. Applewhite*, 6th Artillery, to proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, on duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the District of Columbia, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. The detail of Captain *Frank Taylor*, 14th Infantry, authorized by Commanding General, Department of the Columbia, September 24, 1898, in connection with the muster out of Oregon Light Battery A, at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, and subsequent orders from this office directing him to report by letter to Lieutenant Colonel *F. de L. Carrington*, chief mustering officer for the States of Oregon and Washington, for duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the States of Oregon and Washington, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

92. The telegraphic orders from this office under date of September 2, 1898, directing Colonel *Charles S. Riché* (U. S. Engineer Corps), 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, to proceed to Galveston, Texas, on duty in connection with the muster out of the 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

93. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Michael M. McNamee*, 9th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 19, September 3, 1898, from Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended five days.

94. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Rudolph Bumgardner*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 211, September 7, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

95. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey from Chicago, Illinois, to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, made by Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. F. Presnell*, U. S. Army, under telegraphic instructions of September 6, 1898, from the Surgeon General of the Army, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

96. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *W. Fitzhugh Carter*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty with the 4th Army Corps and will report in person to Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding the 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

97. By direction of the President, Captain *Wilkie Woodard*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War as 1st Lieutenant, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, only, to take effect September 28, 1898.

98. Brigadier General *Simon Snyder*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and assume command of the 1st Infantry Brigade at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

99. Brigadier General *Edward B. Williston*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and assume command of the 2d Infantry Brigade at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

100. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Henry T. Allen*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 192, August 16, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

101. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Philip P. Powell*, 9th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 89, September 13, 1898, from Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

102. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Bersey*, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 204, September 15, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

103. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Eli Hodgins*, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 75, August 19, 1898, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, is extended to October 10, 1898, on account of sickness.

104. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Arthur T. Emery*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, Jacksonville, Florida, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

105. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Asa E. Groves*, Company M, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

106. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Peyton L. Livick*, Company F, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles W. Adams*, Company E, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *D. H. Smith*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Eugene P. Summerson* and Private *Thomas A. Carroll*, Company K, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

107. By direction of the Secretary of War, Sergeant *Robert E. Fraser*, Privates *David Hyatt* and *Henry Yake*, Company A, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, now at Manila, Phil-

ippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

108. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Cortlandt Rosebro*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *R. F. Lundy* and *H. H. Thornton*, Company C, 3d Georgia Volunteer infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

109. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *T. A. Lippett*, Company M, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ervin Roth*, Company E, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *George E. Waddill*, Company C, and *Miles O. Ewing*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

110. By direction of the Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edward H. Van Epps*, Company I, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William T. Harkins*, Company M, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Conrad H. Pinches*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Patrick R. Mealey*, Company A, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

111. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George F. Ellis*, Company G, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Clarence L. Cooper*, Company E, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

112. By direction of the Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William J. Score, jr.*, 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *James A. Gray, jr.*, Company K, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Joe R. Alcorn*, Company M, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Paul A. Core*, Company F, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George H. Lumsden*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

113. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Robert Sterrett*, 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Charles Hamilton*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Mason F. Ferris*, Company D, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

114. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edgar A. Luther*, Company H, 5th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *John Ely* and *Abel Mac Reynolds*, Company H, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Robert R. Crook*, Hospital Corps, General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *William H. Lewis*, Company K, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

115. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Berry Clark*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *W. T. Irwin*, 10th Company U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *John A. Niehaus*, Company —, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

116. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *George M. Templeton*, Company K, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Frank B. Graves*, Company C; *William P. McGavock*, Company H, and *Robert E. Peyton, jr.*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

117. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed with his authorized clerk to Havana, Matanzas, and Cienfuegos, Cuba, under special instructions of the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

118. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas F. Ryan*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is

relieved from duty as assistant to the Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Montauk Point, New York, and, with his authorized clerk, will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and from thence with the 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, to Manzanillo, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

119. Leave of absence on account of sickness, to take effect upon the date of his arrival at Bloomfield, Indiana, is granted Captain *Jonas A. Emery*, 11th Infantry.

120. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, is amended so as to direct Major *Adrian S. Polhemus*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report to the commanding general at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

121. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Ola W. Bell*, 3d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 28, August 24, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended six days.

122. By direction of the President, Captain *Wm. Astor Chanler*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

123. First Lieutenant *Ralph R. Stogsdall*, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Chicago, Illinois, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

124. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Philip G. Wales*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 16, August 31, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

125. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment September 28, 1898, of Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps (1st Lieutenant, Signal Corps, U. S. Army), to mustering duty, with station in Washington, Dis-

trict of Columbia, and his assignment as Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and Acting Ordnance Officer, in connection with mustering duty, are announced.

126. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment September 28, 1898, of Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, Assistant Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army, to mustering duty, and his assignment as Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and Acting Ordnance Officer, in connection with mustering duty, are announced.

127. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Arthur Williams*, 3d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, August 28, 1898, from Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

128. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *George W. Kirkman*, 8th Infantry.

129. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Benjamin B. Hyer*, 6th Cavalry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

130. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Davis Elkins*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to his home and await orders. On his arrival there he will report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

131. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles T. Newkirk*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now in this city, will proceed to his home and there await orders, reporting by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

132. Paragraph 82, Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

Second Lieutenant *William F. Stewart, jr.*, 1st U. S. Artillery (Battery A), is relieved from duty with Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, and will proceed to St. Francis Barracks, Florida, and join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

133. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James O. Varnedoe*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Vol-

unteers, will repair to this city from New York City, for the purpose of settling his accounts. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

134. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *William D. Wolverton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, chief surgeon, Department of the Columbia, will proceed from Vancouver Barracks, Washington, to Seattle, Washington, on official business pertaining to the location of a hospital to be constructed at the latter place, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

135. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Louis M. Maus*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army on official business pertaining to the Medical Department, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

136. By direction of the Secretary of War, Cadet *Charles H. Rich*, 4th Class, U. S. Military Academy, is granted leave of absence until March 1, 1899, in order that he may receive special treatment for impediment of speech. Upon the expiration of this leave of absence he will report at the Academy for a critical examination by a board of medical officers to determine whether or not he is qualified to continue with the Corps of Cadets.

137. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *C. H. Marple*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, will report to the Assistant Secretary of War, in this city, and thence proceed to join his company at Jacksonville, Florida. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

138. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted Captain *Allerton S. Cushman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

139. Second Lieutenant *John R. R. Hannay*, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will proceed to join his regiment at Fort Snelling, Minnesota. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

140. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Alexis R. Paxton*, 15th U. S. Infantry, is assigned to duty as Acting Assistant Quartermaster at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, in addition to his other duties, for the purpose of settling certain accounts pertaining to the purchase by the Quartermaster's Department of twenty-seven cavalry horses from members of the Sheridan Troop of Cavalry, Pennsylvania Volunteers, which were accepted by the U. S. mustering officer upon the muster of said troop into the military service of the United States during the month of May, 1898. Such journeys as it may be necessary for Captain *Paxton* to make in the performance of these duties are necessary for the public service.

141. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Gustave W. S. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, having reported to the Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army, from sick leave, is assigned to duty at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, in charge of the Signal Corps troops on duty at that post, to take effect September 28, 1898.

142. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles H. Clark*, Ordnance Department, now on duty at Benicia Arsenal, California, will make not to exceed four visits to Fort Baker and Fort Winfield Scott, California, on official business connected with the test of powder in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and upon the completion thereof will rejoin his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

143. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles H. Clark*, Ordnance Department, now on duty at Benicia Arsenal, California, will make not to exceed four visits per month during the months of October, November, and December, 1898, to Fort Baker and Fort Winfield Scott, California, on official business connected with the inspection and test of seacoast carriages, and upon the completion thereof will rejoin his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

144. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles H. Clark*, Ordnance Department, now on duty at Benicia Arsenal, California, will make not to exceed four visits to the California Powder Works, Santa Cruz, California, on official

business connected with the inspection of powder in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and upon the completion thereof will rejoin his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

145. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George Montgomery*, Ordnance Department, now on duty at the works of the Morgan Engineering Company, Alliance, Ohio, will visit the works of Warner & Swasey, Cleveland, Ohio, on official business connected with the inspection of sights in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and upon the completion thereof will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

146. Paragraph 37, Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Alfred M. Hunter*, 4th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 9, August 24, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

147. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted Captain *George M. Wells*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

148. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *William H. McKittrick*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month.

149. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

First-class Sergeant *Harry W. Capron*, Signal Corps, from Camp Wikoff, New York, to Fort Apache, Arizona Territory. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty at the telegraph office;

Sergeant *L. C. Singleton*, Signal Corps, from Camp Wikoff to Cooleys Ranch, Arizona Territory, to take charge of the military telegraph office at that station.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the stations designated.

150. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Colonel *Charles C.*

Byrne, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion of their examination will return to their proper stations:

Major *Morris C. Foote*, 21st Infantry (promoted from Captain, 9th Infantry, subject to examination for promotion);

Captain *William Quinton*, 25th Infantry;

Captain *Edward L. Randall*, 5th Infantry;

Captain *Harry G. Cavanaugh*, 13th Infantry;

1st Lieutenant *David G. Spurgin*, 21st Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 21st Infantry, subject to examination for promotion);

Second Lieutenant *Arthur W. Chase*, 2d Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Frank W. Coe*, 1st Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *William R. Smith*, 1st Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *William T. Schenck*, 10th Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Jens Bugge*, 3d Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Charles H. Paine*, 13th Infantry;

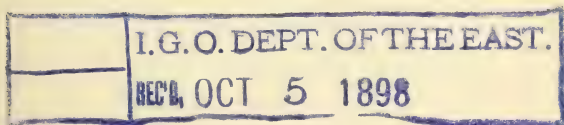
Second Lieutenant *Francis P. Siviter*, 12th Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Louis M. Nuttman*, 21st Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 231. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, September 30, 1898.

1. Private *Samuel W. Reed*, Troop F, 9th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to Denver, Colorado, and will report upon his arrival to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado, to be forwarded to the station of his troop.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for four days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

The increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of his troop.

2. Sergeant *E. R. Johnson*, Company D, 16th Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to New York City and will report upon his arrival to Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, for duty under his direction in connection with the transport service in that city.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Adolph M. Giffin*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Black, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that camp.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward J. Donnelly*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital at Fort Myer, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Winslow*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Washington, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William B. Richmond*, Medical Supply Depot, Atlanta, Georgia;

Private *Edwin R. Wittick*, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William M. Simons*, 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Adjutant General

Private *Rolley M. Wooley*, Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Clarence P. Gammon*, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Harry L. Heller*, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Arthur E. Koons*, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Frederick W. Kuntz*, Hospital Train, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. Hughes*, Company A, Corporal *Thomas H. Dunn*, Company B, and Private *John Eiler*, Company F, 7th Infantry, now at Fort Logan, Colorado, are transferred to the Hospital Corps as privates. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order them to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas P. Carroll*, Company —, 8th Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the headquarters of the regiment, the commanding officer will order him to report to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 46, Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, in the case of Private *William W. Sanno*, Troop K, 2d Cavalry, is amended to read, commanding officer, 2d Cavalry, instead of "commanding officer, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia."

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter C. Lovejoy*, Hospital Corps, Presidio of San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station to enable him to accept position as contract surgeon. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Quartermaster Sergeant *William Grant*, Company D, 20th Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged

the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. McCook*, Troop M, 1st Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William A. Reardon*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, now supposed to be at Anniston, Alabama, is transferred to Camp Meade, Pennsylvania. He will be sent to that camp and will report upon his arrival to the commanding general for duty.

14. Corporal *Corbin B. Finney*, Troop C, 9th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to Denver, Colorado. He will report upon his arrival in that city to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado, to be forwarded to the station of his troop.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for four days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Paul A. Miller*, Company D, 23d Infantry, now at Camp Merriam, Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alexander Barr*, Company H, 14th Infantry, now at Fort Wrangel, Alaska, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 188, August 11, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *E. A. Roper*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is revoked.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin A. Roper*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now supposed to be at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of

the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Good*, Company —, 8th Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the headquarters of the regiment the commanding officer will order him to report to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Nick J. Finzer*, 22d Infantry, now at the Recruiting Station, No. 228 Fifth street, Louisville, Kentucky, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the officer in charge of that station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel Pugh*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William S. Stewart*, Troop K, 6th Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Theobald Langan*, Company G, 17th Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Andrew J. Kuszewski*, General Service, now in the hands of the civil authorities, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the recruiting officer, No. 82 West Madison street, Chicago, Illinois, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to

pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John A. Seapy*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Ordnance Sergeant *William H. Loveland*, now at the Ordnance Depot, Port Tampa, Florida, will be sent to Fort Keogh, Montana. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Philip Laurence*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 210, September 6, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *James E. Brennan*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, is revoked.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph Flick*, Company —, 21st Infantry, now supposed to be at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank J. Frier*, Company —, 8th Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the headquarters of the regiment the commanding officer will order him to report to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

31. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant Secretary of War directs that the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, be, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect upon receipt of this order at the posts, and repair to their homes:

Corporal *Henry O'Hagan*, Ordnance Detachment, Sandy Hook Proving Ground, New Jersey;

Farrier *Robert McDonald*, Troop B, 10th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journeys are necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Hiram M. Chittenden*, chief engineer, U. S. Volunteers, will repair from Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, to this city and bring with him his authorized clerk and his money and property accounts, for the purpose of adjusting such accounts and transferring the public property for which he is responsible to Lieutenant Colonel *William M. Black*, chief engineer, U. S. Volunteers, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Carl Fischer-Hansen*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 205, August 31, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, the 9th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, 1st Lieutenant *Joseph D. Wood*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, commanding, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will proceed to New York City, where the company was organized and where its members will be mustered out of service after the furlough of sixty days which has been granted them has expired. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation and the Subsistence Department the necessary travel rations and coffee money.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, the 7th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, under the temporary command of Captain *John W. McConnell*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will proceed to Chicago, Illinois, over the Pennsylvania Railroad *via* Columbus, Ohio, if this can be done without additional expense to the United States, for furlough and muster out. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation

and the Subsistence Department the necessary travel rations and coffee money.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for fifteen days on account of sickness is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Ernest A. Garlington*, Inspector General, U. S. Army.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Henry Swift*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, and will proceed to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, and resume his duties at that station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. Major *William H. Boyle*, 21st U. S. Infantry (recently transferred from the 9th U. S. Infantry, at his own request), will proceed to Plattsburg Barracks, New York, and join his regiment.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Powell C. Fauntleroy*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now at Staunton, Virginia (having relinquished the unexpired portion of his sick leave), will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, commanding Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 183, August 5, 1898, from this office, is amended by striking out Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, as a depot of the Subsistence Department, and by inserting Lexington, Kentucky, as an important depot at which officers of the Subsistence Department are assignable to duty for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, to take effect from this date; and Major *Hugh J. Gallagher*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will be relieved from the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the Subsistence Depot at Montauk Point, New York, by Captain *Morton J. Henry*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

Major *Gallagher* will proceed with his authorized clerk to Lexington, Kentucky, and enter upon the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the Subsistence Depot at that place, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenants *James M. Kennedy* and *Guy C. M. Godfrey*, assistant surgeons, will report in person on Monday, October 10, 1898, to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum, this city, by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry L. Harris*, 1st Artillery, is detailed as a member of the examining board, convened at the Army Building, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *John P. Wisser*, 7th Artillery, who is hereby relieved.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Louis Brechemin*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now in this city, will proceed to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Haldimand P. Young*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed at once to Fernandina, Florida, and take steamer sailing from that point about October 5, 1898, for Manzanillo, Cuba, where he will take station as Quartermaster, reporting to the commanding officer of the U. S. troops for temporary duty there. He will, if necessary, proceed from Fernandina to Jacksonville, Florida, and return. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James G. C. Lee*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, is relieved from the charge of the affairs of the Quartermaster's Department at Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, and Chattanooga, Tennessee, and will proceed to Chicago, Illinois, and assume the duties of Chief Quartermaster, Department of the Lakes, reporting by letter to the commanding general of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the President, Major General *William R. Shafter*, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to the temporary command of the Department of the East to relieve Brigadier General *George L. Gillespie*, U. S. Volunteers, and will re-

pair to Governors Island, New York, and enter upon duty accordingly.

General *Gillespie*, upon being so relieved, will resume his engineer duties, with station in New York City, and report by letter to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army.

Such travel as may be required under the above order is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *George M. Randall*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, and will repair to Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to Major General *Adna R. Chaffee*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty with the 2d Division, 1st Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. The reassignment of Brigadier General *John B. Babcock*, U. S. Volunteers (Lieutenant Colonel and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army), to duty as Adjutant General of the Department of California, with station at San Francisco, to date from September 23, 1898, is announced by the Secretary of War.

49. The resignation of Cadet *Oscar L. Booz*, 4th Class, U. S. Military Academy, is accepted by the Secretary of War.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to the places hereinafter specified and report for duty as indicated:

George S. Chaims, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place;

Hyman Finklestone, to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report to the commanding officer at that place.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Dennis F. Collins*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 15, 1898.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Charles J. Seiter*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-

named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Newbold Morris*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Albert S. Clucker*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Charles Cooley*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Guy V. Henry, jr.*, 1st Cavalry, aid-de camp, when able to travel, will proceed to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report in person to Brigadier General *Guy V. Henry*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. The leave of absence granted Colonel *V. Y. Cook*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 14, September 18, 1898, 3d Army Corps, is extended one month.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, honorably discharging Captain *Walter P. Blackman*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, on tender of resignation, to take effect October 10, 1898, is, at his own request, amended so as to honorably discharge him to take effect October 1, 1898, on tender of resignation.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Steadman V. Stanford*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Martin L. Crimmins*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service as such, to take effect September 22, 1898, on tender of resignation, to enable him to accept an appointment of 2d Lieutenant of Infantry, U. S. Army.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William D. Forsyth*, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, is honorably discharged the service as such, to take effect September 21, 1898, on tender of resignation, to enable him to accept an appointment of 2d Lieutenant of Infantry, U. S. Army.

60. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles O. Brokaw*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry,

in Special Orders, No. 219, paragraph 32, September 16, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Martin B. Andelfinger*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

62. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Raymond Keller*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

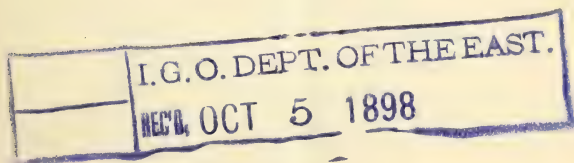
63. The verbal orders of September 17, 1898, directing Captain *Samuel V. Ham*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed from New York City to Fort Monroe, Virginia, on official business, are confirmed by the Secretary of War, the travel having been necessary for the public service.

64. Captain *Samuel V. Ham*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will repair to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas B. Haughawout*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now at Carthage, Missouri, will proceed at once to Huntsville, Alabama, and report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty with the 4th Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 232. } Washington, October 1, 1898.

1. Private *James A. Mitchell*, Troop A, 6th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Private *Frank Collins*, Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, now in this city, will be sent to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer of his battery for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. Corporal *Stephen W. Martin*, Troop F, 2d Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *James Johnson* and *Thomas M. Tavanaugh*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to Fort Monroe, Virginia. They will report upon their arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, the 10th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, under command of Captain *Thomas F. Clark*, now stationed at Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, six officers and about fifty-five enlisted men will proceed to Boston, Massachusetts, for muster out. This company having served outside of the limits of the United States, the enlisted men thereof are entitled each to

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sixty days furlough. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the transportation and the Subsistence Department the necessary travel rations and coffee money.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Oliver H. Reese*, Hospital Corps, now at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward R. Edmonds*, Troop I, 8th Cavalry, now at Fort Robinson, Nebraska, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Oswald Blakeley*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at No. 1804 Wallace street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Columbus Barracks, Ohio, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Edward Le Roy*, Battery B, 6th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 28, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George E. Bushnell*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Fauquier, White Sulphur Springs, near Warrenton, Virginia, for the purpose of inspecting certain property at that place, under instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers to consist of—

Major *Frank Phipps*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Major *Henry M. Adams*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army;

Major *Frank Heath*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Sandy Hook, New Jersey, to consider and report upon the question of the location of the Proving Ground of the Ord-

nance Department in connection with the permanent batteries to be erected at Sandy Hook, New Jersey. The Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army, and the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, will communicate to the board the subjects which they desire to have considered and reported upon, and the board in its report will give its views and recommendations upon the subjects submitted to it.

Such journeys as it may be necessary for the members of the board to make in attending its sessions and in rejoining their proper stations are necessary for the public service.

12. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Truman O. Murphy*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 87, September 11, 1898, from Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

13. Lieutenant Colonel *William S. McCaskey*, 2d U. S. Infantry, will remain on duty with the 20th U. S. Infantry until further orders.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *John B. Guthrie*, 15th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 184, August 6, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

15. Lieutenant Colonel *Jacob H. Smith*, 12th Infantry, now in New York City, will, when able to travel, proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Graham D. Fitch*, Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), is relieved from duty with the Battalion of Engineers, to take effect upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, and will proceed to and take station at St. Louis, Missouri, and report to Lieutenant Colonel *Amos Stickney*, Corps of Engineers, president of the Missouri River Commission, for duty as secretary and disbursing officer of the commission, and to take charge of the improvement of the Osage and Gasconade rivers, Missouri, under the Missouri River Commission. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. The leave of absence granted Captain *William M. Brown*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate

of disability, in Special Orders, No. 189, paragraph 26, August 12, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

18. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Peter W. Davison*, 22d U. S. Infantry, is extended two months on account of sickness.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Theodore Schiffelin*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, now at Willets Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles E. Smith*, Company L, 17th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter W. Ghrist*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Hospital Company, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael Whalen*, Troop M, 1st Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Riley, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. Corporal *George N. Webb*, Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, now on furlough at Caddo, Kentucky, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Battery E, 6th Artillery, at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Sergeant *Aug. Schneider*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now in this city, having relinquished the unexpired portion of furlough, will report to Major *G. W. S. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, for duty.

25. The resignation by Major *William A. Simpson*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army, of his commission as

Captain, 7th U. S. Artillery, only, has been accepted by the President, to take effect September 19, 1898, and, by his direction, he is honorably discharged the service of the United States as Major and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, by the Secretary of War, as of the same date.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 18, Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Frank C. Brooks*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, is revoked.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Tristan C. Bockelman*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Corporal *Nathaniel Johnson*, 1st Company Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Indian Territory Volunteers, and Private *Lewis R. Brown*, 3d Company, same organization, are transferred to the Hospital Corps, detailed as acting hospital stewards, and assigned to duty at Whipple Barracks, Arizona.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank R. Leech*, Troop L, 6th Cavalry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journeys made by the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, as hereinafter specified, are approved as having been necessary for the public service:

Charles T. Newkirk, from Bay City, Michigan, to Washington, District of Columbia, under telegraphic instructions of July 11, 1898, from the Surgeon General of the Army;

George S. Chaims, from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Baltimore, Maryland, under instructions of about September 25, 1898, from the Surgeon General of the Army.

31. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry A. Barber*, 9th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William C. Borden*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Key West, Florida, and from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to New York City and report to the Chief Mustering Officer there for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Hamilton A. Smith*, 3d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27, 1898, from Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

34. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Lieutenant Colonel *James L. Botsford*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

35. By direction of the President, Captain *Jay Cooke*, 3d, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 15, 1898, his services being no longer required.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John D. Thomas*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Charleston, South Carolina, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George L. Goodale*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty in accordance with paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 183, August 5, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Junius L. Powell*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Camp

Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. The extension of leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Edward B. Williston*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include October 10, 1898.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Second-class Private *William Parker*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, now at Willets Point, New York, to Battery L, 7th Artillery, at Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Daniel L. McSweeney*, Battery L, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, to Company B, Battalion of Engineers, at Willets Point, New York.

The expenses of the transfers will be borne by the soldiers and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

41. Private *Daven P. Kellar*, Troop E, 6th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama. He will report upon his arrival at that station to the commanding officer of the regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

42. With the approval of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for four months is granted Captain *Wilber E. Wilder*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, to take effect upon his muster out of the service of the United States as Colonel of the 14th New York Volunteer Infantry.

43. By direction of the President, Captain *Abraham Benedict*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect September 30, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Stephen M. Gonzalez*, U. S. Army, will repair to this

city from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John Biddle*, chief engineer, 6th Army Corps, now in New York City, will repair to Washington, District of Columbia, and report at Headquarters of the Army for temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Charles R. Greenleaf*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, chief surgeon, army in the field, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, and to such other places as may be necessary, for the purpose of inspecting the medical department of the regiments at that and other camps; and to instruct the regimental medical officers regarding the equipment of regimental hospitals, as directed in General Orders, No. 151, September 22, 1898, from this office. All officers with whom he may come in contact will render him every facility to effect the object of this order. Upon the completion of the duties specified Colonel *Greenleaf* will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Colonel *Greenleaf* is authorized to hire such wheel transportation at the various camps visited by him as may be necessary to the performance of the duty required of him.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry D. Snyder*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on duty at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will report in person to the chief mustering officer for the State of Vermont at Burlington, for duty pertaining to the muster out of Vermont volunteers.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 75, Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, relating to Brigadier General *John F. Weston*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel and Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army), and to Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, is revoked.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Tampa, Florida, is discontinued as an important depot to which officers of the

Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, are assignable to duty for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, to take effect this date.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Havana, Cuba, is designated as an important depot to which officers of the Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, are assignable to duty for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, to take effect this date.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Subsistence Department are ordered:

Lieutenant Colonel *Henry G. Sharpe*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, will relieve Major *Abiel L. Smith*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, of the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the Subsistence Depot, San Juan, Porto Rico, and perform that duty in addition to his present duties, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Colonel:

Major *Smith*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed with his two authorized clerks to Havana, Cuba, and enter upon the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the subsistence depot at that place, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel;

Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (Major and Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army), will, on completion of the other duties devolving upon him, proceed with his authorized clerk to Matanzas, Cuba, and assume the duty of Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place;

Major *Henry Page*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 3d Brigade, 2d Division, 5th Army Corps, and will proceed with his authorized clerk to Neuvas, Cuba, and assume the duty of Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place;

Captain *Eben B. Fenton*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as assistant to the Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed with his authorized clerk to Cienfuegos, Cuba, and assume the duty of Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place;

Captain *Peter C. Deming*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the U. S. troops in the Island of Porto Rico, and will proceed with his authorized clerk to Jibara, Cuba, and assume the duty of Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Robert Eby*, Company I, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. M. Allen*, Company M, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Lewis Phillips*, Company H, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John T. McNeill*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William Cousins*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Earl D. Thompson*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *Harry R. Lathrope*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *Fred L. Fanning*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *W. W. Hackett*, Company C, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Christopher C. Cousins*, Company H; Corporal *Oscar V. Sessoms*, Company A; Privates *Charles H. Dixon*, Company B; *Edward J. McLaughlin*, Company E, and *John J. Clarke*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Guy M. Cherry*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Clyde Fishback*, Company L, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Samuel F. Mills*, 1st Troop Philadelphia City Cavalry, U. S. Volunteers;

Sergeant *Francis S. Hincks*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Max D. Almond*, Company C, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporals *Cleveland W. Brown*, Company L; *Walter I. Horton*, Company D; *Walter Lowe*, Company L; Musician *Bert Winters*, Company I; Privates *Enoch A. Philby*, Company I, and *Nictor O. Johnson*, Company A, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Privates *Adolph M. Griffin*, Company C, and *Albert Rebedon*, Company F, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, to the Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, and their assignment to duty at Camp Black, Long Island, New York, are hereby confirmed.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ernest Carrouthers*, Company D, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Robert J. Lusk*, Company A, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edgar T. Hoag*, Company L, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Clarence W. Muse*, Company C, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Simmens T. Mitchell*, Company D, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward McConaughly*, Company B, 7th California Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas B. Lamoreux*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service and will proceed to Portland, Maine, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John B. Bellinger*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will repair to this city from Tampa, Florida, and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army, for conference relating to public business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. Lieutenant Colonel *Algernon S. Reaves*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *George T. Cottingham*, Company H, 12th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Albert E. Truby*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report in person to the commanding officer, 8th U. S. Infantry, at Huntsville, Alabama, for duty; and Acting Assistant Surgeon *Joseph A. Tabor*, U. S. Army, will be relieved from duty with the 8th U. S. Infantry upon the arrival of Lieutenant *Truby*, and will then proceed to his home, New Orleans, Louisiana, for annulment of his contract, his services being no longer needed. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 223, September 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *George H. Sands*, engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers, is amended so as to direct him to proceed, October 10, 1898, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty with the 2d Division, 2d Army Corps.

71. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *George L. Byroade*, 3d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, August 28, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

72. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Robert P. Johnston*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

73. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *George W. Burr*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army.

74. Captain *Robert K. Evans*, 12th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will, when able to travel, proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, for duty with his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Lieutenant Colonel *William A. Rafferty*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 20, September 4, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *William Ennis*, Chief Ordnance Officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward B. Russell*, Hospital Corps, now at Benicia Barracks, California, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Edward Burr*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers,

will proceed to Middletown, Pennsylvania, to supervise the work of the two companies of the regiment there stationed, upon the completion of which duty he will rejoin his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Ora E. Hunt*, 18th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 139, Department of California, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William E. Terriberry*, U. S. Army, now in this city, will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *A. H. Hargrove*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Robert L. Carter* and *Thomas G. Riggs*, Company F, 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Theo Jones*, Company H, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *A. S. Cowan*, Company K, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Horace M. Bell*, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 17, September 1, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

83. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Austin H. Brown*, Adjutant, 4th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel G. Jones, jr.*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Wequetonsing, Michigan, on sick leave of absence, will repair to

Montgomery, Alabama, and report in person to the Governor of Alabama for duty for thirty days, to assist in the adjustment of the accountability of the State to the United States for military property, and upon the expiration of the period specified will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers to consist of—

Captain *Robert R. Stevens*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army;

Captain *Robert H. Patterson*, 1st U. S. Artillery, and
First Lieutenant *Clough Overton*, 1st U. S. Cavalry,
is appointed to meet at San Antonio, Texas, as soon as practicable, to appraise the horses desired to be purchased from the Government by the enlisted men of the 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry. Upon the completion of the duties of the board Lieutenant *Overton* will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers to consist of—

Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Daniel M. Taylor*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Captain *William B. Gordon*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army,

is appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., on Tuesday, November 15, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the examination of such Lieutenants of the line as may be ordered to appear before it, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department.

The board will be governed by the requirements of paragraph 1490 of the Regulations, and such special instructions as it may receive from the Chief of Ordnance. The duties of the medical officers will be confined to the physical examination of the candidates, which will be the same as that required in the examination of officers for promotion. The junior ordnance officer will act as recorder. The proceedings of the board, with a report of the result of the examinations, will be forwarded to the Adjutant General of the Army,

through the Chief of Ordnance, and on the final adjournment of the board the members thereof will rejoin their proper stations.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Rudolph G. Ebert*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will, when his services are no longer needed at the detention hospital, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey from Sand Beach, Michigan, to this city, made by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Howard Carey*, U. S. Army, in compliance with telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, dated August 22, 1898, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

89. The following transfers are made in the 11th Infantry at the request of the officers concerned:

First Lieutenant *Clarence E. Dentler*, from Company D to Company K;

First Lieutenant *John S. Battle*, from Company K to Company D.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 15, 1898:

Captain *Frederick A. Bickel*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles A. Fries*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Major *Hervey C. Lyon*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;
 Captain *Edward F. Flynn*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Charlton Alexander*, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Herbert D. Draper*, Battalion Adjutant, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

92. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *James P. Sherwin*, Adjutant, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 88, current series, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

93. The leave of absence for twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *O. B. Weed*, assistant surgeon, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 72, 4th Army Corps, August 6, 1898, is extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

94. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *L. J. Rowell*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 81, August 29, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

95. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 213, September 9, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *Albert B. Dentsch*, Quartermaster, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read as follows: 1st Lieutenant *Albert B. Deutch*, Quartermaster, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 10, 1898.

96. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *J. P. Drouillard*, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service as such, to take effect September 19, 1898, on tender of resignation, to enable him to accept an appointment as 2d Lieutenant, U. S. Army.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 233. } Washington, October 3, 1898.

1. Private *William G. Sliney*, Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his battery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. The leave of absence granted Colonel *Edgar R. Kellogg*, 6th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 185, August 8, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

3. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Herbert S. Foster*, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 20, September 4, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

4. The assignment by the Secretary of War of 1st Lieutenant *Edwin M. Suplee*, 3d Cavalry, as mustering officer at Lexington, Kentucky, August 15, 1898, *vice* Major *John G. Ballance*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, is announced.

5. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Louis M. Nuttman*, 21st Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 16, August 31, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

6. The journeys performed by 1st Lieutenant *James E. Hewes*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, on August 2 and 3, 1898, from Peekskill, New York, to Willets Point, New York, and return, on official business pertaining to the purchase of engineering tools, are approved by the Secretary of War as necessary for the public service.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *William W. Harts*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 159, July 8, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

8. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *James H. McRae*, Adjutant, 3d Infantry.

Inspector General

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Quartermaster Sergeant *Thomas Gariboldi*, Company A, and Bugler *John V. Hilderbrand*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *W. F. Bowden* and Private *H. M. Cousins*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *J. F. Converse*, Company M, 7th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *E. H. Negley*, Company E, and *Jason Thomas*, Company C, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Leonard Drury*, Company B, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *J. I. Peters*, Company G, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *John Moyler*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Brooks C. Easterling*, Company B, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. The journeys from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, to this city and return, performed on September 13, 28, and 29, 1898, by Captain *Alexis R. Paxton*, 15th Infantry, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

14. First Lieutenant *Alfred M. Hunter*, 4th U. S. Artillery (Battery D), is relieved from duty with Battery H of that regiment, to take effect upon the expiration of his present sick leave, when he will proceed to join his battery at Fort McHenry, Maryland. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles S. Stern*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to New York City and report to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on steamer sailing October 5, 1898, for Ponce, Porto Rico, and upon his arrival there will report to commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month and fifteen days, to take effect on or about November 7, 1898, is granted Captain *Henry D. Snyder*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

17. Leave of absence for one month from October 15, 1898, is granted Major *James B. Kenner*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Robert J. Gibson*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Fort Meade, South Dakota, will accompany the 8th U. S. Cavalry from that station to Huntsville, Alabama, and remain on duty with that regiment until further orders.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Wilbur E. Dove*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 193, August 17, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edward C. Carter*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at the Leiter U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, and will at once repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George J. Newgarden*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now in this city on sick leave, is relieved from further duty at Fort Yates, North Dakota, and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person for assignment to duty to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, commanding the Josiah Simpson General Hospital. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frederick W. Fuger*, 13th Infantry, is detailed as recorder of the examining board convened at the Army Building, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* 1st Lieutenant *William J. Pardee*, 25th Infantry, who is hereby relieved.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Robert H. Noble*, 1st U. S. Infantry (Major and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers), will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, as relates to the discharge of Private *Jacob Sehnertz*, 4th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is amended to read *Jacob T. Lehnertz*.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, as directs the discharge from the service of the United States of Corporal *F. J. Sullivan* and Private *H. D. Fish*, 9th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is revoked, the men in reality belonging to the 8th Company, U. S.

Volunteer Signal Corps. They will be ordered to proceed to Augusta, Maine, and report upon arrival, by letter, to Captain *George W. Butler*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, commanding the 8th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for furlough and muster out. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation and the Subsistence Department the necessary travel rations and coffee money.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Samuel V. Ham*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Tampa, Florida, and take the Steamer "Mascotte," sailing from that place on Monday, October 10, 1898, and proceed thereon to Havana, Cuba, where, upon his arrival, he will report to the commanding officer of the U. S. troops for assignment to duty as Disbursing, Purchasing and Issuing Quartermaster at Nuevitas, Puerto Principe Province, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Elmer E. Heg*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now on duty at Fort Myer, Virginia, will proceed to Omaha, Nebraska, and report in person to the chief mustering officer for the State of Nebraska for duty pertaining to the muster out of the 2d Nebraska Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. The following payments of troops are ordered by the Secretary of War:

Major *George W. Baird*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will pay the troops at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia; Fort Myer and Sheridan Point, Virginia, and Fort Washington, Maryland, to include September 30, 1898;

Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, accompanied by his authorized clerk and two additional clerks, will pay, to include September 30, 1898, the troops at Fort Monroe, Virginia; Forts Macon and Caswell, North Carolina; Fort McHenry, Maryland; Fort Delaware, Delaware; Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, and Fort Mott, New Jersey; and the following-named officers of the Pay Department will report to Major *Rogers* and assist him in the payments: Majors *Frank M. Hammond*, *George C. Stewart*, *Eugene Coffin*, *William J. Black*, *Washington Haverstick*, *Merrill W. Lang*, and *Pierre C. Stevens*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers.

Payments will be made in person at all the posts named, except Fort Mott, New Jersey, which will be paid in funds shipped by express. The Quartermaster's Department will transport the funds necessary for these payments, by express, to such points as the paymasters may direct. The funds for payment at Camp Meade will be shipped, by express, to the care of Major *Daniel W. Arnold*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, the local paymaster at that point.

On the completion of the payments specified the officers named will return to their proper stations. Such journeys as may be required of them are necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *George J. Doerner*, Company C, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 29, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Stanislaus M. Neisser*, is revoked.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Stanislaus M. Neisser*, now at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, will report for duty to the commanding general, Camp Merriam, San Francisco, to accompany troops to Manila.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jesse M. Anderson*, Hospital Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *George H. Schlehuber*, 2d Artillery, now at the Recruiting Station, No. 37 Kneeland street, Boston, Massachusetts, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the officer in charge of the station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank J. De Dier*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at Renovo,

Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Thomas, Kentucky, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Alvin Strause*, Battery C, 6th Artillery, now at Fort Caswell, North Carolina, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Peter Shields*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to the 3d Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Horace G. Toone*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, Governors Island, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Perry D. Gath*, Company L, 17th Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. Private *James Malone*, Battery I, 2d Artillery, now supposed to be at recruiting station, No. 37 Kneeland street, Boston, Massachusetts, who deserted June 25, 1898, is restored to duty without trial, upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. He will be sent to the station of his battery, Fort Caswell, North Carolina, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry F. Kendall*, 8th Cavalry, is relieved from further duty with the National Guard of Oregon, and as mustering officer for Oregon

volunteers, to take effect as soon as his services can be spared, and will proceed to join his troop. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. First Lieutenant *Arthur Thayer*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now on leave of absence at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is assigned to temporary duty at that post to supervise the shipment of certain troop property and baggage of officers to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and will report in person accordingly to the post commander.

42. Leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *Chase W. Kennedy*, 8th Infantry.

43. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George L. Byram*, 1st Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 203, August 29, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 17, Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, is revoked, and Major *William C. Gorgas*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will repair to this city at the expiration of his present sick leave and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Valery Havard*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, on duty in the Department of Santiago, will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, on business pertaining to the Medical Department, when in the opinion of the Commanding General of the Department of Santiago his services can be spared for this duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty October 1, 1898, of Brigadier General *John H. Patterson*, U. S. Volunteers (Lieutenant Colonel, 22d U. S. Infantry), as chief mustering officer for the State of New Jersey, with station in Newark, and of Captain *William C. Buttler*, 3d U. S. Infantry, as his assistant, is announced.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Post Chaplain *James W. Hillman*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 90, September 14, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month and thirteen days.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles I. Woolford*, U. S. Army, now in this city, will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frederick R. Dolson*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort St. Philip, Louisiana, and will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Calvin De Witt*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will repair to this city on official business connected with the Medical Department of the Army, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ira C. Brown*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army on official business connected with the Medical Department, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following assignments of officers to regiments, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, are announced:

First Lieutenant *Samuel D. Rockenbach* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 10th Cavalry), to the 9th Cavalry, Troop A, to date from July 31, 1898, vice *Ryan*, appointed Quartermaster;

First Lieutenant *Robert C. Williams* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 1st Cavalry), to the 7th Cavalry, Troop D, to date from August 2, 1898, vice *Littebrant*, appointed Quartermaster;

Captain *Eli D. Hoyle* (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 2d Artillery), to the 1st Artillery, Light Battery E, to date from September 18, 1898, vice *Capron*, deceased;

First Lieutenant *LeRoy S. Lyon* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 2d Artillery), to the 2d Artillery, Battery L, to date from September 18, 1898, vice *Hoyle*, promoted;

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles F. Robe* (promoted from Major, 14th Infantry), to the 17th Infantry, to date from September 16, 1898, vice *Haskell*, deceased. He will remain on duty with the 14th Infantry until further orders.

Lieutenant Colonel *Philip H. Ellis* (promoted from Major, 13th Infantry), to the 8th Infantry, to date from September 17, 1898, vice *Hobart*, retired. He will proceed to join his regiment.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *George W. Cole*, from the 1st Cavalry to the 7th Cavalry, Troop D;

First Lieutenant *Robert C. Williams*, from the 7th Cavalry to the 1st Cavalry, Troop L.

54. By direction of the President, Captain *Nathan M. Flower*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 3, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Chauncey T. Scudder*, U. S. Army, now in this city, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edward E. Hartwick*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 87, September 11, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended ten days.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will rejoin his proper station, Madison Barracks, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George W. Crile*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at No. 275 Prospect street, Cleveland, Ohio, will proceed to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and report in person to the chief mustering officer for

the State of Illinois, for duty pertaining to the muster out of the 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *John Morrison, jr.*, 3d Cavalry, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence on account of sickness, to include October 20, 1898, is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *George I. MacLeod*, U. S. Army.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Peter W. Beckman*, U. S. Army.

62. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *John Newton*, 16th Infantry, is extended two months on account of sickness.

63. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Robert S. Offley*, 7th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

64. The leave of absence granted Captain *Thomas J. Lewis*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 20, September 4, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

65. The leave of absence granted Captain *Joseph Hale*, 3d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 85, September 9, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jacques de L. Lafitte*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Mobile, Alabama, and will proceed, with two authorized clerks, to Port Tampa, Florida, and take the steamer "Mascotte," which sails from that port October 10, 1898, and proceed thereon to Havana, Cuba, where he will report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops for assignment to duty as Disbursing, Purchasing, and Issuing Quartermaster at Jibara, in Santiago de Cuba Province. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Edward R. Bragg*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty

at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to New York City and take the first transport sailing for Santiago, Cuba, and upon his arrival at the latter place will report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops there for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, will repair to this city and report in person to the Secretary of War for consultation. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Charles R. Barnett*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will temporarily relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Charles W. Williams*, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, of the duties of Depot Quartermaster at Jeffersonville, Indiana, and will perform those duties in addition to his present duties; and Lieutenant Colonel *Williams*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed *via* this city to Port Tampa, Florida, in time to take steamer "*Mascotte*," which sails from that port October 10, 1898, for Havana, Cuba, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty; and he is hereby assigned to duty in charge of the principal Quartermaster's Depot to be established at that place, and while acting in charge of said depot shall have the rank of Colonel. He will also perform the duties of Chief Quartermaster in addition to the duties hereinbefore assigned him. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Major *Charles C. Foster*, surgeon, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *E. S. Fowler*, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

71. First Lieutenant *Eli A. Helmick*, Quartermaster, 10th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from further duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory, and relieve Captain *John H. Shollenberger*, 10th Infantry, from duty at that post, who will then join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank G. Jones*, U. S. Army, now in this city, will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the President, Major *Milo B. Ward*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 32, Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges Chaplain *Benjamin W. Arnett, jr.*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 14, 1898, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

75. By direction of the President, Major *Calvin H. English*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 3, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *John C. Raymond*, 6th Cavalry.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Chaplain *Henry C. McCook*, 2d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is granted leave of absence until October 14, 1898, on account of sickness.

78. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Jacob C. Johnson*, 4th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 14, August 29, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James G. C. Lee*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will repair to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *George H. Sands*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers.

81. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas McCarthy*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 20, Special Orders, No. 216, September 13, 1898, from this office, as relates to Captain *Charles H. Coburn*, Company A, Battalion Nevada Volunteer Infantry, is revoked, his discharge as Captain *Charles H. Colburn*, 1st Battalion Nevada Volunteer Infantry, on tender of resignation, having been directed in Special Orders, No. 226, paragraph 94, September 24, 1898, from this office.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John F. Lucey*, 6th California Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged from the service of the United States, to take effect this date, to enable him to accept a commission in the California Volunteer Artillery.

84. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made in the 1st Artillery, to take effect this date:

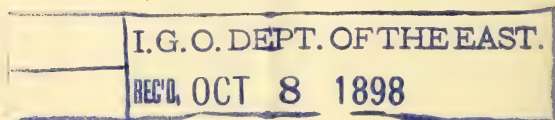
Captain *Henry M. Andrews*, from Battery L to Light Battery E;

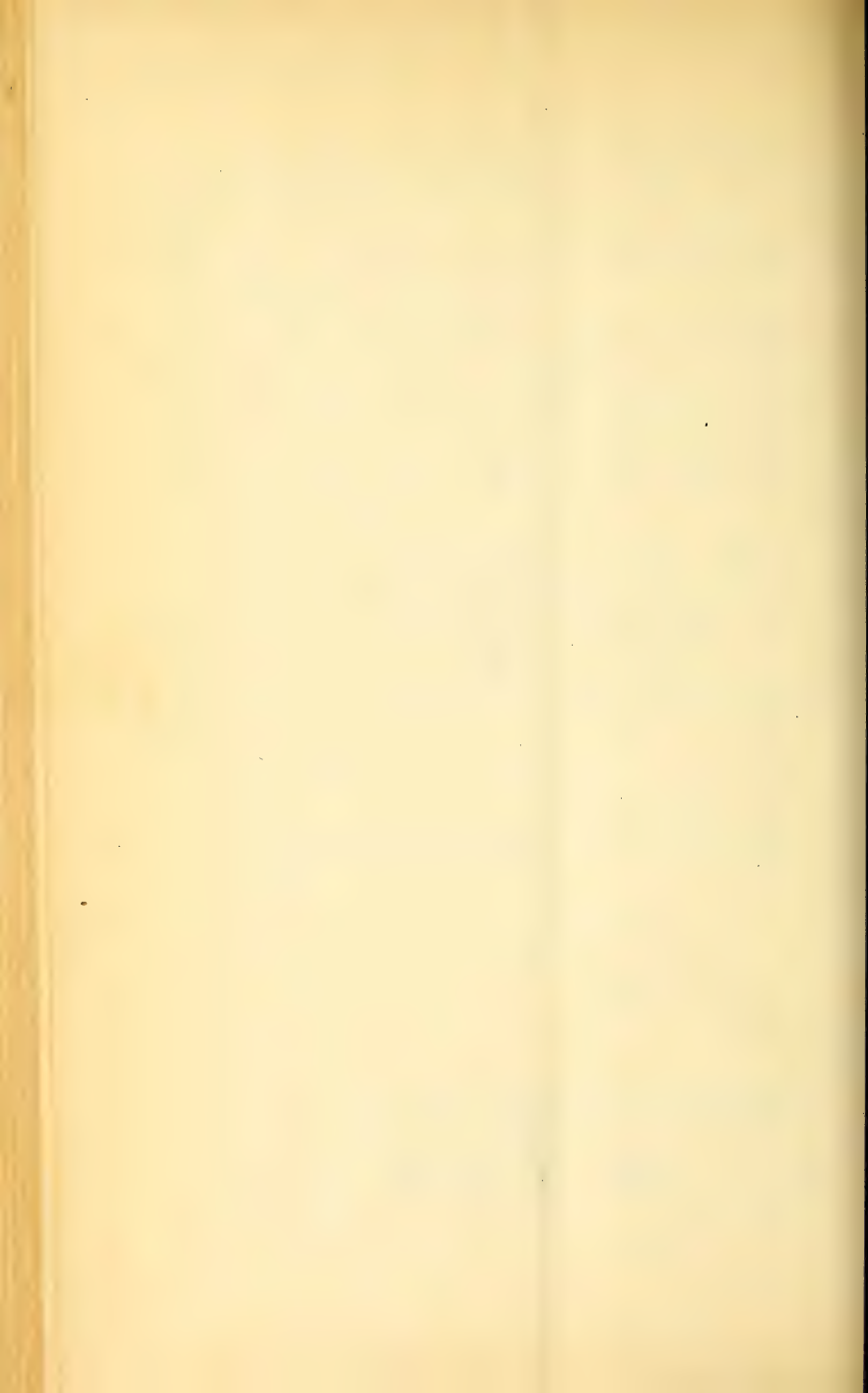
Captain *Eli D. Hoyle*, from Light Battery E to Battery L.

Captain *Andrews* will proceed to join the battery to which he is transferred. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 234.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, October 4, 1898.

1. Trumpeter *Plum Banks*, Troop B, 9th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Grant, Arizona Territory.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for seven days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Private *Anson A. Goodson*, Band, 20th Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for three days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Egbert Martyn*, Battery G, 7th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 30, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, the boards of officers convened at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 186, August 11, 1897; paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 187, August 12, 1897; and paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 127, May 31, 1898, from this office, for the examination of officers to determine their fitness for promotion are dissolved; and all orders, circulars, text books, and examination papers remaining in the possession of the boards, or of any member thereof, will be turned over to the recorder of the board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James Miller* and 1st Lieutenant *Thomas M. Moody*, 20th Infantry, are detailed as member and recorder, respectively, of the examining board convened at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *Henry C. Hodges, jr.*, 22d Infantry, and 1st Lieutenant *William F. Flynn*, 8th Cavalry, who are hereby relieved.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Major *Egon A. Koerper*,

Adjutant General

surgeon, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion:

First Lieutenant *Jacob F. Kreps*, 22d Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Samuel P. Lyon*, 25th Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Charles R. Howland*, 20th Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Thomas A. Pearce*, 7th Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Alga P. Berry*, 10th Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Isaac Newell*, 22d Infantry.

Upon the completion of their examinations, Lieutenant *Kreps* will return to his proper station, and Lieutenant *Pearce* will proceed to join his regiment; the other officers named will return to the place of receipt by them of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

The travel required by Major *Koerper*, between his station and Fort Leavenworth and return, in attending the meetings of the board, are necessary for the public service.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Joseph A. Tabor*, U. S. Army, now on duty at Huntsville, Alabama, will proceed to New Orleans, Louisiana, and report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James T. Arwine*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to take effect upon the expiration of his present leave of absence, when he will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Pemberton Lundy*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Buffalo, New York, to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Alfred E. Kennington*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, is extended to October 6, 1898.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant

John Adams Perry, 8th U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harrison J. Price*, 24th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 85, September 9, 1898, 5th Army Corps, and extended in Special Orders, No. 88, September 12, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is changed to leave of absence on account of sickness, from September 20, 1898, and extended ten days on account of sickness.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

Major *Charles L. Davis*, from the 6th U. S. Infantry to the 11th U. S. Infantry;

Major *William H. H. Crowell*, from the 11th U. S. Infantry to the 6th U. S. Infantry.

14. By direction of the President, Captain *Wilkie Woodard*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898, his services being no longer required.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas A. Powderly*, Company —, 8th Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Eugene Galup*, General Service, now in confinement at Fort McPherson, Georgia, who deserted October 21, 1894, and surrendered in May, 1898, is restored to duty without trial, upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. He is assigned to the 5th Infantry, and will report for duty to the commanding officer of the detachment of that regiment at his present station.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private

Horace B. Thompson, Troop E, 3d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John P. Hanna*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, supposed to be at the posts designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Robert L. Barton*, Ordnance Detachment, Sandy Hook Proving Ground, New Jersey;

Second-class Private *Bernard B. Ferguson*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *William S. Vaughan*, Troop —, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *John J. Sweeney*, Troop A, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Robert F. Rasmussen*, Troop A; Sergeant *Amos Wasson*, Troop B; Privates *William J. Kane*, Troop G, and *Stephen Flaherty*, Troop K, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Gustav Essig* and *Conrad F. Kuhlemann*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *James S. Chalkley*, Battery M, 1st Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *William Fountain*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Private *Frank Steele*, Company —, 4th Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *William H. Franz*, Company D, 9th Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Albert de Creny*, Hospital Corps, Fort Wadsworth, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry S. Hoogland*, Company —, 7th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at

the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis Friedman*, Company —, 7th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Louis Lemmer*, now with the Purchasing Depot Commissary at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will be sent at once to Jacksonville, Florida, and will report upon his arrival there to Captain *Thomas F. Ryan*, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, to accompany said officer to Manzanillo, Cuba, for duty with the troops at that station.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel D. Tompkins*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Company, 4th Army Corps, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company B, 13th Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Columbus, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas R. Webb*, Company B, 20th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James J. Hoyle*, Battery L, 7th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. The operation of paragraph 103, Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Warren H. Cowles*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is suspended until further orders.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Theodore J. Wint*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 214, September 19, 1898, Department of the East, is extended three months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John A. Tonner*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, to New York City, and report in person for annulment of his contract to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, chief surgeon, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Frank Greene*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will turn over the command of the Signal Corps Company at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to the senior officer on duty therewith, and proceed to San Francisco, California, and resume his duties as signal officer of the Department of California. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Alfred M. Hunter*, 4th U. S. Artillery, now on sick leave of absence, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, and will proceed to Springfield, Illinois, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service, this date, by the President, of Major General *Hamilton S. Hawkins*, U. S. Volunteers, as Brigadier General, U. S. Army, only, at his own request, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1882, he having served more than forty years, is announced.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *William E. English*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William Alden*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Portland, Maine, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Francis J. Ives*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will repair to this

city upon the expiration of his present leave of absence and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed from this city to Montauk Point, New York, and carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. He is also appointed a Special Inspector, under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at that point, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William H. Forwood*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, will proceed from the U. S. Soldier's Home, near this city, to Fort Monroe, Virginia, on official business connected with the Medical Department of the Army, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Frederick B. Shaw*, 5th U. S. Infantry, will report in person, upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will proceed to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and join the detachment of his regiment now stationed at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James R. Hosmer*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Dunn Loring, Virginia, and will proceed to Port Tampa, Florida, in time to reach that place by October 10, 1898, take the steamer "Mascotte," sailing from that point on the date specified, and proceed thereon to Havana, Cuba, where, upon his arrival, he will report to the commanding officer, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty as Disbursing, Purchasing, and Issuing Quartermaster at Matanzas, in the Province of Matanzas, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph P. Green*, Company —, 7th Infantry, now at Camp Wikoff, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers of ordnance sergeants, now at Port Tampa, Florida, will be made as soon as their services can be spared by the commanding officer in charge of their present station:

Ferdinand Bryant, to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Alphonse C. E. Von Nyvenheim, to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Eugene McCarthy, to Augusta Arsenal, Georgia.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon their arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers to consist of—

Colonel *James G. C. Lee*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army;

Colonel *Frank J. Hecker*, Quartermaster's Department;

Lieutenant Colonel *William R. Livermore*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers;

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert M. O'Reilly*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers;

Lieutenant Colonel *Rogers Birnie*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers,

is appointed to proceed to Havana, Cuba, and such other places as may be necessary, to carry out the instructions of the Secretary of War communicated to the board by letter.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Sergeants *Harry N. Dickinson*, Troop C, and *Harry C. Wheeler*, Troop H, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *John C. Rinehart*, Troop I, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Artificer *Martin D. Earhart*, Battery M, 6th Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel pay.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John E. Woodbridge*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, and will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph W. Duncan*, 21st U. S. Infantry, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, and will proceed to Buffalo, New York, to establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person on Monday, October 24, 1898, to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, this city, by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations:

First Lieutenant *William W. Quinton*, assistant surgeon;

First Lieutenant *Thomas S. Bratton*, assistant surgeon;

First Lieutenant *Deane C. Howard*, assistant surgeon;

First Lieutenant *William H. Wilson*, assistant surgeon.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *R. B. McCoy*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 12, 1898.

47. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Romulus F. Walton*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

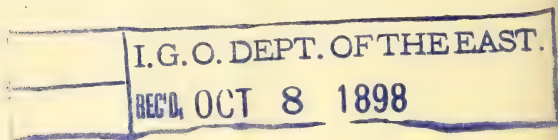
48. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederic H. Sargent*, Adjutant, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No.

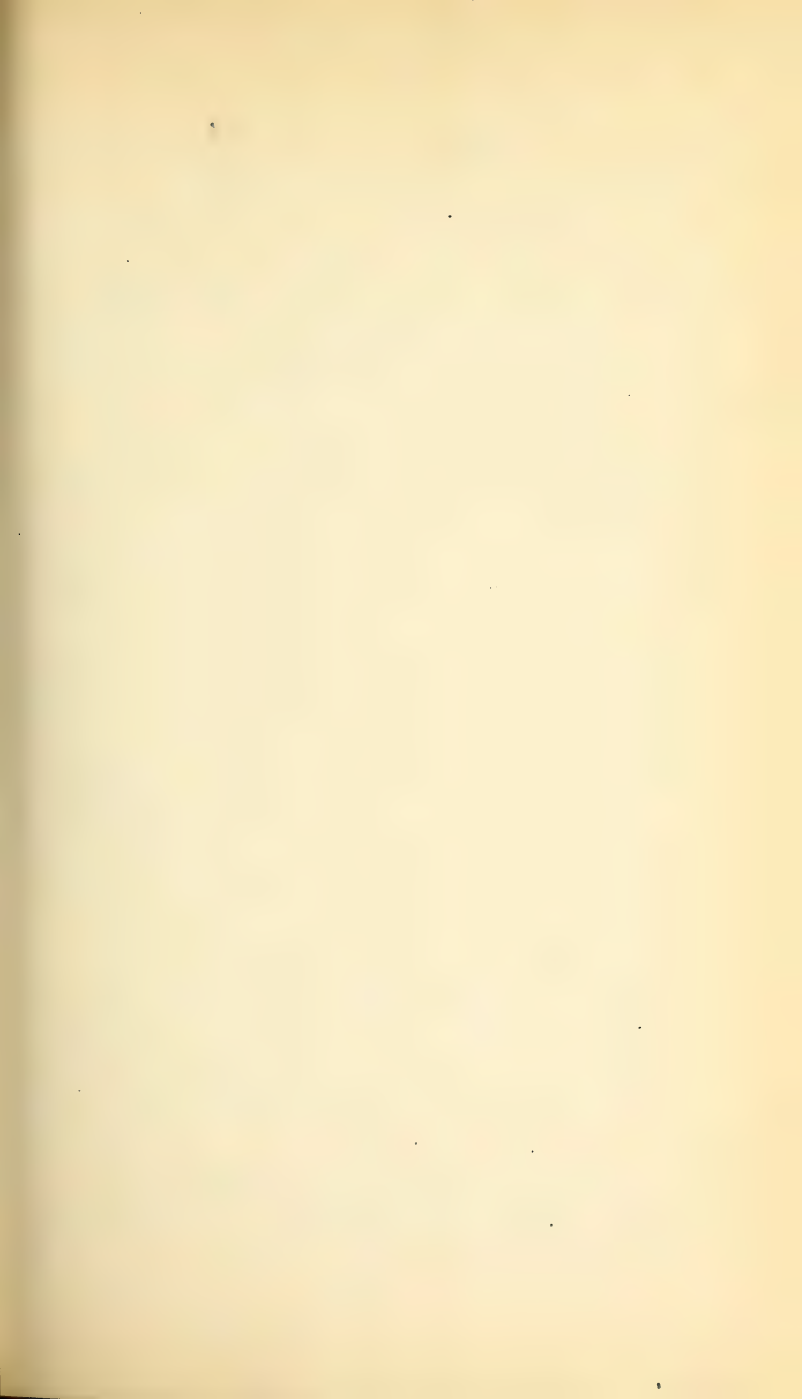
17, September 1, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

49. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *James M. Jenne*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 235.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 5, 1898.

1. Corporal *C. F. Spalding*, Company M, and Private *W. Von Hordenburg*, Company B, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 116, September 30, 1898. Headquarters, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will return to their station, with permission to delay two days *en route*.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

2. Private *Robert Anderson*, Troop L, 6th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of the regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. Corporal *Edwin Newman*, Troop E, 2d Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of the regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

4. Private *Frank Kern*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, having been tried and found guilty of sleeping on post in violation of the 39th Article of War by a general court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be confined at hard labor, under charge of the post guard, for three (3) months and to forfeit ten (\$10) dollars per month for that period.*"

The sentence was approved October 3, 1898, and will be duly executed.

5. Private *Howard B. Roberts*, Company M, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, having been tried and found guilty of violation of the 32d and 62d Articles of War by a general

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court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be confined at hard labor under charge of the post guard for three (3) months and to forfeit ten (10) dollars per month for the same period.*"

The sentence was approved October 3, 1898, and will be duly executed.

6. Private *Andrew J. Overby*, Battery L, 7th Artillery, having been tried and found guilty of violation of the 33d Article of War by a general court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, and evidence of previous convictions having been received by the court, was sentenced, "*To be dishonorably discharged the service of the United States, forfeiting all pay and allowances now due him.*"

The sentence was approved October 3, 1898, and will be duly executed.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William G. Whitlock*, Company F, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Daniel T. Loyd*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Walter E. Probasco* and *Arthur B. Crane*, Company H, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Walter B. Barker*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will be relieved from duty in the Department of Santiago, when the necessary transportation is provided by the board of officers appointed by the Secretary of War to visit Cuba, and will proceed to Cienfuegos, Santa Clara Province, Cuba, and assume duty as Disbursing, Purchasing, and Issuing Quartermaster at that point. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, at the request of the officers concerned:

First Lieutenant *Frank S. Armstrong*, from the 10th U. S. Cavalry to the 9th U. S. Cavalry, Troop A;

First Lieutenant *Samuel D. Rockenbach*, from the 9th U. S. Cavalry to the 10th U. S. Cavalry, Troop F;

10. The journey from New York City to this city recently made by 1st Lieutenant *Samuel D. Rockenbach*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, on official business, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

11. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Samuel D. Rockenbach*, 10th U. S. Cavalry.

12. So much of paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 233, October 3, 1898, from this office, as directs Lieutenant Colonel *Philip H. Ellis*, 8th Infantry, to proceed to join his regiment, is amended so as to direct him to proceed *via* Buffalo, New York, to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Dwight E. Holley*, 4th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended two months on account of sickness.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William T. Schenck*, 10th U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Captain *William Quinton*, 25th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer at Boston, Massachusetts, for assignment to recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Charles B. Ewing*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 94, September 2, 1898, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is extended one month on account of sickness.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William M. Talbott*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from this city *via* Omaha, Nebraska, to Knoxville, Tennessee, and report to 1st Lieutenant *Alvar G. Thompson*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty. Lieutenant *Talbott* will, when at Omaha, carry out such special instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. The extension of leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Henry Wagner*, 4th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No.

202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days.

18. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Samuel G. Jones, jr.*, 5th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 207, September 2, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank W. Jay*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 91, August 27, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George J. Newgarden*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, for assignment to duty at that station. He will report by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Charles F. Kieffer*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 12, August 27, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

22. By direction of the President, Major *Leonard B. Almy*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect this date, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Allen M. Smith*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 9, August 26, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

24. Paragraph 121, Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, relating to 2d Lieutenant *Ola W. Bell*, 3d Cavalry, is revoked.

25. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Ola W. Bell*, 3d Cavalry, is extended twenty-one days on account of sickness.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Lanning Parsons*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, and 2d Lieutenant *Frank D. Wickham*, 16th U. S. Infantry, are relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to join their respective regiments. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Benjamin F. Pope*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will return to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, on the expiration of his present leave of absence and will resume his duties at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Forrest H. Hathaway*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed without delay from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, *via* this city, to St. Louis, Missouri, and from thence to such other points as may be necessary to carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. Lieutenant Colonel *Hathaway* is appointed Special Inspector under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at the points visited under this order, and upon the completion of the duty herein charged will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *W. W. Crooker*, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 92, September 6, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

30. First Lieutenant *T. D. McGlathery*, Adjutant, and 1st Lieutenant *J. W. Bauman*, assistant surgeon, 3d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are relieved from detached duty at Fernandina, Florida, and will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for muster out with their regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant *Henry S. Clark*, Adjutant, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 3, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas J. Dooley*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 1, 1898.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Huntsville, Alabama, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry;

Major *William D. Beach*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 3d U. S. Cavalry);

Major *Charles M. Gandy*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army);

Captain *John F. Stretch*, 10th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Charles Willcox*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *James A. Cole*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, recorder.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion of their examination will return to their proper stations:

First Lieutenant *Richard R. Steedman*, 16th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Thomas H. Wilson*, 2d U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Clarence R. Edwards*, 23d U. S. Infantry (Major and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers);

First Lieutenant *William H. Johnston*, 16th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *James K. Thompson*, 23d U. S. Infantry (Captain and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers);

First Lieutenant *Waldo E. Ayer*, 12th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *David S. Stanley*, 22d U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Benjamin T. Simmons*, 16th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *William F. Creary*, 2d Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Edward T. Hartmann*, 15th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Herschel Tupes*, 15th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Robert M. Brookfield*, 2d U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Merch B. Stewart*, 8th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Dennis E. Nolan*, 1st U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *James N. Pickering*, 1st U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Preston Brown*, 2d U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. Private *Frank B. Witel*, Troop A, 1st Cavalry, now on furlough at his home, No. 203 6th street, Washington, District of Columbia, is transferred to Battery K, 5th Artillery. He will report to the commanding officer, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, for duty with the battery to which he is transferred.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Robert Burns*, surgeon, 1st New Hampshire Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from further duty at Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, and will proceed to Concord, New Hampshire, for muster out with his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. The general court-martial appointed to meet at Willets Point, New York, by paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 154, July 1, 1898, from this office, is dissolved.

37. A general court-martial is appointed to meet at Willets Point, New York, at 11 o'clock a. m. on Friday, October 7, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the trial of such prisoners as may be brought before it.

Detail for the court.

Captain *W. L. Sibert*, Corps of Engineers;
 Captain *Thomas H. Rees*, Corps of Engineers;
 First Lieutenant *H. D. Todd, jr.*, 7th Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *G. M. Hoffman*, Corps of Engineers;
 Second Lieutenant *F. C. Boggs, jr.*, Corps of Engineers;
 Second Lieutenant *C. S. Smith*, Corps of Engineers;
 Second Lieutenant *W. P. Wooten*, Corps of Engineers;
 Additional 2d Lieutenant *A. A. Fries*, Corps of Engineers;
 Additional 2d Lieutenant *E. I. Brown*, Corps of Engineers,
 Judge Advocate.

The court is empowered to proceed with the business before it with any number of members present not less than the *minimum* prescribed by law, the above being the greatest number that can be convened without manifest injury to the service.

38. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Michael J. Collins*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 205, September 9, 1898, Department of the East, is further extended seven days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

39. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Hal S. Rockwood*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 46, August 25, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Clovis A. Talmadge*, Troop F, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Charles Miller*, Troop E, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Joseph T. Hall*, Troop M, 4th Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *John T. Stockton*, Troop L, 5th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *James M. Brown, jr.*, Troop F, *Elias Gonzales*, Troop G, Blacksmith *Charles Leva*, and Private *Gabriel A. Jacobs*, Troop K, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Charlie Easley*, Troop I, 8th Cavalry, Fort Robinson, Nebraska;

Private *Thomas Robinson*, Troop K, 10th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Milton E. Barger*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *John A. Krudwig*, Battery H, 2d Artillery, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut;

Private *Charles M. Hanners*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Musician *Henry Maynor* and Private *George B. Campbell*, Battery K, 5th Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Randolph L. Webster*, Battery L, 5th Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

Private *John E. Capps*, Battery H, 6th Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Frank H. Ohley*, Battery L, 6th Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Sergeant *Charles E. Morton*, Battery E, 7th Artillery, Fort Preble, Maine;

Private *George E. Brabon*, Company I, 2d Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *William H. Heller*, Company —, 6th Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *James H. Body*, Company E, 7th Infantry, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Privates *Carlton N. Bentley*, Company —, and *William H. Mathena*, Company —, 10th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Harry A. Marvin*, Company —, 12th Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Privates *Artemas W. Saxton*, Company F, *Felix F. Jaworsky*, *Sylvester A. Pratte*, and *Jesse E. Tondorf*, Company G, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John Meyer*, Company F, 17th Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Corporal *Aubrey M. Crowe*, Company E, 22d Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 49, Special Orders, No. 231, September 30, 1898, from this office, is amended to accept the resignation of Cadet *Oscar L. Booz*, 4th Class, U. S. Military Academy, to take effect October 31, 1898.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *F. A. Parker*, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, upon the request of the Board of Commissioners of the Soldiers' Home in the District of Columbia, the Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation, the cost of which will be refunded by the treasurer of the Home, for *John E. Myers*, late private, Company E, 10th Infantry, from Mexico, New York, to this city, to enable him to enter the Home.

44. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Alvord Van P. Anderson*, 6th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 98, September 21, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Beverly W. Dunn*, Ordnance Department, now on duty at Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will make not to exceed four visits during each of the months of November and December, 1898, and January, 1899, to the works of the Scovill Manufacturing Company, Waterbury, Connecticut, on official business connected with the inspection of shrapnel under manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Robert A. Rogers*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability, in Special Orders, No. 216, September 13, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *J. Walker Benét*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits from Cleveland, Ohio, to Lorain, Ohio, on business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of seacoast gun carriages, and upon the completion thereof will return to Cleveland, Ohio, after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey made by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Bat Smith*, U. S. Army, from Wharton, Texas, to Tampa, Florida, under telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, dated August 10, 1898, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *Henry Bak* and *Baen Street*, U. S. Army, having completed the duty upon which they were ordered to Plattsburg Barracks, New York, will return to their proper stations. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Oscar G. Hille*, Company F, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Paul S. Hagerty*, Company K, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Jerry H. F. Reynolds*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Alexander Lyman Byers*, Company L, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James Crawford*, Company C, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *George C. Cook*, Company B, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *W. H. Bishop*, Company D, and *E. M. Beacham*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Franklin H. Marks*, Company K, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John Milledge* and Privates *W. Beck*, Company E, and *Perry D. Brooks*, Company C, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Walter Estill*, Battery B, Georgia Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Morgan R. Shafer*, Company E, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James C. Wobensmith*, Company H, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lavater H. Oakley*, Company D, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *J. Frank Bennett*, Company I, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Harry Boycott*, Company B, and *David Steen*, Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edwin P. Gentry*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Samuel T. Sanders*, Company H, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Paul F. Schem*, Company H, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Claude B. Sawyer*, 6th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Joe McMillin*, Company G, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *George B. Hetherington*, Company G, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *James P. Valentine*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter L. Worrall*, Battery A, 1st Connecticut Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *David T. Gregg*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *A. C. Turner*, Company L, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Kent W. Hughes*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward H. Poggi*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Patton Gibson*, Company I, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *John B. Barnes* and *H. J. Caldwell*, Troop I, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *J. L. Hudson*, Troop H, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *Willis O. Augustus*, Hospital Corps, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Francis Proctor Field*, Company H, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas E. McCabe*, Company L, 23d Infantry, now at Recruiting Station, No. 316 Commerce street, Dallas, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis Wohlleb*, Troop A, 8th Cavalry, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of Fort Meade, South Dakota, by reason of desertion, to date November 8, 1894. The discharge paper will be forwarded to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *Arthur M. Seyster*, Troop F, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Edward Preissig*, Band, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Eddie W. Cave*, Troop G, and 1st Sergeant *Elam Crosier*, Troop L, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Joseph Kemp*, Troop H, 10th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

First Sergeant *Gottlieb Wieland*, Company E, 8th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John L. Myerly*, Battery H, 2d Artillery, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut;

Private *Peter Mason*, Band, 22d Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska;

Private *Georgia M. Combert*, Hospital Corps, Camp Wikoff, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter J. List*, Troop A, 3d Cavalry, on furlough at Massillon, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

74. Private *James Bornes*, Company —, 24th Infantry, now attached to Troop I, 10th Cavalry, and supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to that troop.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 213, September 9, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Arthur Murray*, Troop B, 5th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank B. Johnston*, Company A, 16th Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier not is entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred McAnley*, Troop B, 5th Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Michael J. Hennessey*, General Service, now at Recruiting Station, No. 35 Kneeland street, Boston, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John M. Jones*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

80. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Orvil Chess*, Company G, 15th Infantry, now at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, will be discharged without honor from the

service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Oscar C. West*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

82. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, as directs Hospital Steward *Ephraim Stevenson* to be sent to Anniston, Alabama, is amended to read "he will report to the surgeon in charge of the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, for duty."

83. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph E. Bannon*, Company —, 8th Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report for duty to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, at that station.

84. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Horan M. Bing*, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *William H. Johnson*, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Frank Stokes*, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *William R. Snyder*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia;

Private *Joseph E. Toole*, 2d Division, 3d Army Corps, Anniston, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *Robert J. C. Irvine*, 11th U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Michigan, with station in Camp Eaton, Island Lake, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, is announced:

First Lieutenant *William C. Wren*, 17th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Dwight W. Ryther*, 6th U. S. Infantry.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Major *William P. Vose*, 6th U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Maryland, with station in Baltimore, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, is announced:

First Lieutenant *Arthur F. Curtis*, 6th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Richard H. McMaster*, 6th U. S. Artillery.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Daniel L. Howell*, 7th Infantry, is relieved from duty as mustering officer at Des Moines, Iowa, and will proceed to Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, and there join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

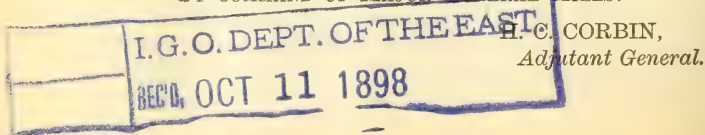
88. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *Warren H. Coules*, 4th U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Florida, with station in Tallahassee, and of 2d Lieutenant *Engelbert G. Ovenshine*, 16th U. S. Infantry, as his assistant, is announced.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of 1st Lieutenant *Frederick Marsh*, 1st U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Louisiana, with station at Jackson Barracks, is announced.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James B. Hughes*, 10th Cavalry, will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and report in person to Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer, for duty in connection with the muster out of Pennsylvania Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William P. Vose*, 6th Artillery, chief mustering officer for the State of Maryland, will proceed to Annapolis and report to the Adjutant General of that State on official business connected with the muster out of the 5th Maryland Volunteers, and upon the completion thereof will join his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:







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SPECIAL ORDERS, }

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

No. 236. }

Washington, October 6, 1898.

1. Privates *Wilson Arthur* and *Thomas V. Payne*, Troop B, 9th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of their troop, Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, and will report upon their arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for seven days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

2. Second Lieutenant *Malcolm Young*, 2d Artillery, is assigned to Battery L of that regiment, and will proceed to join it at Fort Schuyler, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *Robert M. Rogers*, 2d U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Maine, with station in Augusta, and of 1st Lieutenant *John D. Barrette*, 3d U. S. Artillery, as his assistant, is announced.

4. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Andrew E. Williams*, 3d Cavalry.

5. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Merch B. Stewart*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 16, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *William B. Homer*, 6th U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Mississippi, with station in Lauderdale, and of 2d Lieutenant *Frank E. Harris*, 1st U. S. Artillery, as his assistant, is announced.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, as relates to Captain *James E. Brett*, 24th U. S. Infantry, is amended to read Captain *Lloyd M. Brett*, 2d U. S. Cavalry.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *George Vidmer*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now on leave of absence, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, to date October 15, 1898, when he will proceed to Mobile, Alabama, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is ap-

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pointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for four months is granted Major *Charles G. Starr*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Rufus M. Townsend*, 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States as such, to take effect July 27, 1898, by reason of his appointment as Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, with the rank of Major.

11. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Walter Abbott*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect October 5, 1898.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *A. H. Simonton*, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present leave of absence, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty with troops going to Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. Leave of absence from September 7, 1898, to October 31, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Arthur S. Conklin*, 7th Artillery.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Peter W. Beckman*, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence will proceed from New York City, New York, to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding officer, Camp Shipp, for assignment to duty with the 2d U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the President, Captain *Francis P. Fremont*, 2d U. S. Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States as Captain and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, only, by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 9, 1898, his services as such being no longer required. He will join his regiment on the date specified. Such travel as may be required of him is necessary for the public service.

16. The journey performed by 1st Lieutenant *Frederick C. Hand*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, August 4 and 5, 1898, from Fort Worth, Texas, to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on recruiting service for the regiment, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John P. Dodge*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Columbus, Ohio, and report in person to Major *Cyrus S. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the muster out of Ohio volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert N. Pitts*, U. S. Army, is extended fifteen days.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward E. Hardin*, 7th U. S. Infantry, on being mustered out of the service as Colonel of the 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Peter D. MacNaughton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 208, September 3, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 5, 1898, of Major *William J. Nicholson*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 7th U. S. Cavalry), as chief mustering officer for the State of Kentucky, with station in Lexington, and of 1st Lieutenant *Ernest V. Smith*, 4th U. S. Infantry, as his assistant, is announced.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Thomas W. Darrah*, 9th Infantry, will proceed to Raleigh, North Carolina, and report in person to Captain *Albert Todd*, 6th Artillery, chief mustering officer, for duty in connection with the muster out of volunteers from the State of North Carolina. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. The following transfers are ordered in the 3d Artillery:

First Lieutenant *Charles A. Bennett*, from Battery D to Light Battery C;

First Lieutenant *Archibald Campbell*, from Light Battery C to Battery D.

The officers thus transferred will join their proper batteries. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James C. Read*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will repair to this city from New York City and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence for consultation, and upon completion of this duty will return to his station in New York City. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *James Baylies*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 87, September 11, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month.

26. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Brigadier General *John H. Page*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 193, August 17, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Leopold O. Parker*, 22d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John Lyng*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Kensington, Minnesota, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *G. J. de Quesada*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty with troops going to Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey from

Fort McPherson, Georgia, to Fort Douglas, Utah, made about July 27, 1898, by Captain *Arthur C. Ducat*, 24th U. S. Infantry, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Stephen B. Elkins, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed to his home and await orders, for his own convenience. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *John K. Miller*, 8th Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

33. By direction of the President, Major *Jay J. Morrow*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, as of that regiment only, by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

34. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Henry B. Allen*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect October 15, 1898.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frank A. Wilcox*, 1st U. S. Infantry, is relieved from temporary duty at Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, October 3, 1898.*

By direction of the President, the unexecuted part of the sentence of a general court-martial in the case of Acting Assistant Surgeon *R. W. Chidsey*, published in Special Field Orders, No. 19, Headquarters of the Army, Port Ponce, Porto Rico, August 9, 1898, is remitted.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,

Assistant Secretary of War.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Richard Lawton*, Company B, 22d Infantry, and Corporal *Wilhelm Fennel*, Battery C, 4th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 30, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Kline*, Battery H, 5th Artillery, now in this city, will

be discharged the service of the United States to date September 28, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Paul C. Feldkamp*, Battery H, 7th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edwin D. Bricker*, 17th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 86, September 10, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended twenty-one days on account of sickness.

41. The leave of absence granted Captain *William H. Allaire*, 23d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 179, August 1, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *Jerauld A. Olmsted*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Iowa, with station in Des Moines, and of the following-named officers as his assistants, is announced:

Captain *Daniel L. Howell*, 7th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John F. Stephens*, 10th U. S. Infantry.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of 1st Lieutenant *Hamilton Rowan*, 2d U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Rhode Island, with station at Quonset Point, and of 2d Lieutenant *Samuel C. Vestal*, 7th U. S. Artillery, as his assistant, is announced.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of 1st Lieutenant *Charles A. Bennett*, 3d U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of Nevada, with station in Carson City, is announced.

45. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *William A. Raibourn*, 10th Infantry.

46. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edward M. Lewis*, Adjutant, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 20, September 4, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty October 4, 1898, of Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Arkansas, with station at Fort Logan H. Roots, is announced.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Lieutenant Colonel *Will T. May*, 157th Indiana Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 15th U. S. Infantry), as chief mustering officer for the State of Indiana, with station in Indianapolis, and of the following named officers as his assistants, is announced:

First Lieutenant *John C. Waterman*, 8th U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Charles L. Beckurts*, 6th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Edward R. Chrisman*, 6th U. S. Infantry.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of 1st Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of New Hampshire, with station in Concord, and of 2d Lieutenant *Edwin Landon*, 2d U. S. Artillery, as his assistant, is announced.

50. Captain *Daniel H. Boughton*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, will proceed from Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on official business pertaining to the packing and shipping to Fort Ethan Allen of clothing and other property of the 3d Cavalry which was left at Jefferson Barracks, and upon completion of this duty will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *Ezra B. Fuller*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, as chief mustering officer for the State of South Carolina, with station in Columbia, and of 1st Lieutenant *William Newman*, 13th U. S. Infantry, as his assistant, is announced.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month, with permission to apply for an extension of one month, is granted Brigadier General *John F. Weston*, U. S. Volunteers.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, will perform the duties of Purchasing Commissary at New York City, in addition to his other duties, during

the absence on leave of Brigadier General *John F. Weston*, U. S. Volunteers.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas J. Kirkpatrick, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *William Ennis*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *William H. Kell*, 22d U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Nebraska, with station in Omaha, and of the following named officers as his assistants, is announced:

First Lieutenant *Tredwell W. Moore*, 22d U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *William M. Swaine*, 22d U. S. Infantry.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty, October 4, 1898, of Captain *Albert Todd*, 6th U. S. Artillery, as chief mustering officer for the State of North Carolina, with station in Raleigh, is announced.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edwin M. Suplee*, 3d Cavalry, will proceed to Des Moines, Iowa, and report in person to Captain *Jerauld A. Olmsted*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer, for duty in connection with the muster out of Iowa Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following assignments of officers to regiments, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, are announced:

Major *Charles Morton* (promoted from Captain, 3d Cavalry), to the 4th Cavalry, to date from September 23, 1898, vice *Kellogg*, retired. He will report by telegraph to the Commanding General, Department of California, for assignment to a station, and proceed to join the station to which he may be assigned. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Captain *John B. McDonald* (promoted from 1st Lieutenant,

10th Cavalry) to the 3d Cavalry, Troop I, to date from September 23, 1898, vice *Morton*, promoted.

60. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *James G. Harbord*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 105, September 19, 1898, from Headquarters 7th Army Corps, is further extended one month.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 80, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William S. Terriberry*, U. S. Army, now in this city, will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert R. Stevens*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, is appointed special inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable public animals as may be presented to him at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army.

63. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, paragraph 46, Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *James E. Calhoun*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

64. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Winfield W. Warren*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 2, September 10, 1898, at Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 51, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, as directs Major *Abiel L. Smith*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, to proceed from San Juan, Porto Rico, to Havana, Cuba, is amended so as to direct him to proceed from San Juan, Porto Rico, *via* New York City and Washington, District of Columbia, to Havana, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of ab-

sence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *John A. Porter*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *S. V. Sanford*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 1, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Ervin Wardman*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 15, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Charles C. Crowell*, Battalion Adjutant, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 15, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Albert Fink*, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, to take effect September 30, 1898.

68. Leave of absence to include October 11, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th Artillery.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. B. Winn*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Niagara, New York, to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty with the 8th U. S. Cavalry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James R. McCausland*, assistant surgeon, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

71. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *G. R. Palmer*, Battery A, Wyoming Volunteer Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 126, September 4, 1898, Department of California, is extended one month on account of sickness.

72. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Willard M. Flynn*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 99, September 13, 1898, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Second Lieutenant *Hensley G. Harris*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *William J. Sheehan*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Herbert D. Casey*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *William J. Smith*, 8th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers to consist of—

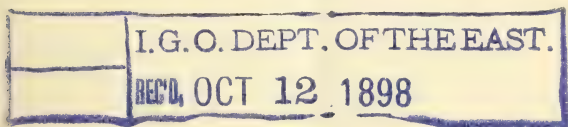
Major *John P. Story*, 7th Artillery, and

Captain *Henry L. Harris*, 1st Artillery,

is appointed to visit each artillery post and fortification in the United States on the Atlantic coast, to definitely fix and locate the instrument stations for the position finders (type "A" instruments) and lines of communication for each battery. The board will submit to the Adjutant General, for the information of the Secretary of War and the Construction Department, a report of the condition of each battery with respect to the means of directing the fire of the guns, and a map showing the site and altitude of the instrument stations and location of the lines of communication. Commanding officers and local engineer officers will furnish such assistance as the board may require in the performance of this duty. On the completion thereof the members of the board will rejoin their proper stations. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 237. } Washington, October 7, 1898.

1. Private *Arthur McAllister*, Company C, 9th Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Madison Barracks, New York.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations at the prescribed rate in advance for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Private *C. C. Tidd*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the chief surgeon, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now in this city, will proceed to the places hereinafter designated and join their commands:

Captain *Charles B. Hepburn*, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Captain *John J. Ryan*, to Jacksonville, Florida.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Parker*, Troop B, 5th Cavalry, now on furlough at 133 Alanson street, Cleveland, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of the regiment, who will forward discharge papers to the man at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Richard P. Myer*, Detachment Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, West Point, New York;

Musician *Moses Brin*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida;

Order General.

Private *Fred Winkler*, Battery L, 6th Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Corporal *William J. M. Turrell*, Company E, 7th Infantry, Camp Wikoff, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Albert A. Freeman*, *Charles J. Gauer*, and *James Sevine*, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Privates *Frank X. O'Leary* and *Ross H. Hurford*, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *George E. Costello*, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto Buße*, Troop D, 4th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James W. Broatch*, Company F, 8th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James L. Thompson*, Battery B, 3d Artillery, now on duty with the Artillery School Band, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Dunford*, Company I, 8th Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph W. Stebbins*, Troop M, 7th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Amos Palin*, Battery C, 1st Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *Clarence R. Demorest*, Troop L, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *William Warner*, Company C, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Bunyan J. Hunter*, Troop M, 4th Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *John Brennan*, Battery D, 4th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Privates *Samuel Armstrong*, *Mike Bikoy*, *James F. Chalmers*, and *Robert G. Wickes*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida;

Private *Hays Young*, Battery M, 6th Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

Privates *William J. Bandhauer*, Company —, and *William A. Flowers*, Company —, 10th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Corporal *Rodolphus Hunt*, Company F, 17th Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Claude H. Hill*, Company M, 23d Infantry, Department of the Pacific.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John Jackson*, Troop D, 9th Cavalry, now at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Liebecke*, Company I, 20th Infantry, now at Fort

Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edgar B. Wright*, Troop D, 4th Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the transfers of the following-named Ordnance Sergeants are made:

Richard Ulex (appointed October 3, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Battery A, 5th Artillery), now at Fort Hamilton, New York, to Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

John J. Lee (appointed October 3, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery D, 2d Artillery), now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, to Willets Point Batteries—Artillery subpost;

Thomas Lippincott (appointed October 3, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery A, 4th Artillery), now at Fort Washington, Maryland, to Fort McHenry, Maryland, for duty at Fort Carroll, North Point and Hawkins Point, Maryland;

John Noel (appointed October 3, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery D, 2d Artillery), now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, to Fort Mott, New Jersey;

Ludwig Leiner (appointed October 3, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery F, 2d Artillery), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Fort Caswell, North Carolina;

Robert E. Pate (appointed October 3, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery H, 2d Artillery), now at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, to Fort Preble, Maine, for duty at Portland Head, Maine;

Joseph B. Kenney (appointed October 3, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery D, 3d Artillery), now at Ballast Point, California, to Fort Stevens, Oregon.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Ordnance Sergeant *Francis Jones* (appointed October 3, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Battery H, 4th Artillery), now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, is assigned to duty at that post.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles G. Martin*, Troop D, *Henry R. Short*, Troop G, *John C. Benjamin*, Troop M, 2d Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Rodman Butler*, Troop D, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Frank McNally*, Troop D, 5th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *John G. Wissell*, Troop E, and *Robert C. Hedden*, Troop L, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James Larrison*, Troop K, 8th Cavalry, Camp Merritt, Montana;

Privates *Harry E. Ayers* and *Thomas Brickert*, Battery C, Sullivans Island, South Carolina; *William F. Mencer*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Walter Gulick*, Battery H, 2d Artillery, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut;

Private *Edward J. Mulhall*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Private *Robert K. Emerson*, Battery K, 6th Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Charles A. Lowery*, Battery G, 7th Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *Walter G. Riggan*, Company G, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Oak L. Johnson*, Company K, 5th U. S. Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *Morton R. Perry*, Company L, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *John C. Cristy*, *Charles Whittaker*, and *William C. Whittaker*, Company I, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *Daniel F. Barber, jr.*, and *Robert Brennan*, Company B, *Frank S. Thiel* and *John M. McCann*, Company H, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harold P. Howard*, 3d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 21, September 5, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on account of sickness granted Post Chaplain *Joseph H. Sutherland*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 4, September 12, 1898, Ponce, Porto Rico, is extended fifteen days.

22. The leave of absence granted Captain *William C. Manning*, 23d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 103, September 6, 1898, Department of the Gulf, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

23. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William L. Murphy*, 24th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 85, September 9, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

24. Leave of absence for fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Rogers Birnie*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers.

25. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Lieutenant Colonel *Charles C. Hood*, 19th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 4, September 13, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended two months.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service, this date, of Professor *Edgar W. Bass*, U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Julius T. Conrad*, 3d Cavalry, will proceed from this city to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and report in person to Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, chief mustering officer, for duty in connection with the muster out of volunteers from the State of Pennsylvania. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Weston P. Chamberlain*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now

on duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will proceed to Richmond, Virginia, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the muster out of the 3d Virginia Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas R. Marshall*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John T. Thompson*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, is detailed as a member of the board of officers appointed by paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, to proceed to Havana, Cuba, and such other places as may be necessary, to carry out the instructions of the Secretary of War communicated to the board by letter, *vice* Lieutenant Colonel *Rogers Birnie*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, hereby relieved. Upon completion of his duties as a member of the board, Lieutenant Colonel *Thompson* will report in person to the Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army, in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Augustus A. De Loffre*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will report by telegraph to Colonel *Luther R. Hare*, chief mustering officer at Austin, Texas, for duty in connection with the supervision of physical examination of the volunteer regiments to be mustered out of service in the State of Texas.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Samuel W. Miller*, 5th Infantry, will report by telegraph to Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, chief mustering officer, for duty in connection with the muster out of volunteers from the State of Pennsylvania.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eugene T. Wilson*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed to St. Louis, Missouri, and relieve Lieutenant Colonel *William L. Alexander*, Subsistence Department, of the duties of purchasing and shipping

subsistence supplies at the purchasing depot at that place, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Lieutenant Colonel *Alexander*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, for assignment to duty as an assistant in his office, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Colonel. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. The travel from Overbrook, Pennsylvania, to Washington, District of Columbia, and return, performed between October 2 and 3, 1898, by Lieutenant Colonel *Robert M. O'Reilly*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, on duty pertaining to the Medical Department, in compliance with telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Edward J. McClernand*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in addition to his other duties is assigned to temporary duty in New York City, New York, with station at that place.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jacob P. Mogenson*, Company G, 3d Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

37. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Cyrus S. Roberts*, 17th Infantry.

38. Leave of absence for one month is granted Major *William B. Banister*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

39. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William E. Welsh*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 18, September 4, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Charles R. Miller*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 104, September 6, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John W. Barker*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, now on sick leave of absence, when able to travel will proceed to St. Paul, Minnesota, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Dakota, for duty with the 3d U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James H. Hyssell*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Knoxville, Tennessee, to Washington, District of Columbia, on official business pertaining to the Medical Department and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Elon F. Willcox*, 6th Cavalry.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers of Commissary Sergeants are made:

Charles Sanders (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Troop H, 5th Cavalry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Fort Columbus, New York;

Henry A. Hoskins (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Company C, 11th Infantry), now supposed to be in Porto Rico, to Fort Hamilton, New York;

George Geiling (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery A, 5th Artillery), now at Fort Hamilton, New York, to Fort Schuyler, New York;

John Salter (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Company E, 1st Infantry), now at Anniston, Alabama, to Fort Adams, Rhode Island;

Robert A. Tarbert (appointed October 1, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company H, 19th Infantry), now supposed to be in Porto Rico, to Fort Brady, Michigan;

James F. Wood (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant Major, 3d Cavalry), now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, to Camp McKinley, Hawaiian Islands;

John Brown (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Company K, 16th Infantry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Long Island Head, Massachusetts;

Karl J. Thompson (appointed October 1, 1898, from Quartermaster Sergeant, 1st Cavalry), now at Fort Riley, Kansas, to Fort Mott, New Jersey;

Fred P. Bliss (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery D, 5th Artillery), now supposed to be in Porto Rico, to Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Wesley Baughn (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Company D, 17th Infantry), now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, to Fort Crook, Nebraska.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers of Commissary Sergeants are made:

Jerry B. Machle, now supposed to be on furlough at Cincinnati, Ohio, to Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Felix Muraszko, now at Army Building, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City, to Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory;

Oscar Raik, now at Army Building, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City, to Lexington, Kentucky;

Patrick J. McManus, now at Army Building, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City, to Fort Niagara, New York.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report for duty upon arrival to their respective commanding officers.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named Commissary Sergeants, now at the stations designated after their respective names, are transferred to Santiago, Cuba. They will be sent to that station and will report for duty upon arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *H. B. Osgood*, Purchasing and Depot Commissary, at that place.

Andrew Ryan, now at Fort Columbus, New York;

Fred Dobler, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

James B. Whaley, now at Fort Hamilton, New York;

Benjamin Otten, now at Long Island Head, Massachusetts;

Emil H. Steiner, now at Fort Mott, New Jersey.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George R. Fowler*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Panama Park, Jacksonville, Florida, to Washington, District of Columbia, on official business pertaining to the Medical

Department, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Fred D. Morse*, Company B, 14th Infantry, now at Dyce, Alaska, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *William R. Padgett*, Battery A, 4th Artillery, Fort Washington, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the posts designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Sergeant *John Pettit*, Company A, 1st Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Sergeant *John Robinson*, Company D, 3d Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Thomas Walshe*, Company E, 19th Infantry, Fort Brady, Michigan.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Charles M. Osman* and *James F. White*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel E. Craig*, Company D, 11th Infantry, now in Porto Rico, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not

entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marsh Bullock*, Troop G, 3d Cavalry, now on furlough and supposed to be at his home, No. 515 Fourth street, Hannibal, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Joseph Hecht* and Private *Thomas F. Dewitt*, Battery G, 7th Artillery, now supposed to be at Fort Warren, Massachusetts, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

55. Private *Humphery J. Callahan*, Company K, 8th Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the 21st Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Plattsburg Barracks, New York, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

56. Private *Thomas Rogan*, Battery M, 4th Artillery, now attached to Company G, 9th Infantry, at Madison Barracks, New York, is transferred to that company to serve the remainder of his enlistment of April 17, 1898.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry P. Given*, Hospital Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee, is transferred to Company H, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to be mustered out with that regiment.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 100. Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as relates to Sergeant *Charles Boelsterli*, Troop B, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is amended to read, "This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay."

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the sta-

tions designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Harrison W. Martin*, Troop E, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Elwood Darrow*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Private *Thomas H. Derrick*, Battery E, 7th Artillery, Fort Preble, Maine;

Private *Thomas Nemecek*, Company C, 2d Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *George Hurley*, Company A, 9th Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *John Hunley*, Company F, 17th Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Corporal *Michael Keavy*, Company G, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Henry D. Middaugh*, Company H, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named privates of the Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station:

William T. Lamoreaux, *Ernest G. Gray*, *Harry A. Du Bois*, *Harry S. Huff*, *Bert Cornelius*, *William S. Norton*, *John S. Eicke*, and *Bert Houser*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Pero*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, now on furlough and supposed to be at his home in Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer Fort McPherson, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Raleigh Dugan*, Troop E, 5th Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service

of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Omer J. Parker*, Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, now on furlough and supposed to be at his home at Kokomo, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George A. Murphy*, Troop A, 3d Cavalry, now on furlough and supposed to be at his home, 1915 West Third street, Canton, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Heckel*, Company F, 2d Infantry, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. Arbuckle, jr.*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Detention Hospital, Camp Wikoff, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis L. Armstrong*, Ambulance Company, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Moreton H. Axline*, Hospital Corps, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lawrence B. Myrick*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Fred S. Mitchell*, Band, and *John Robert Sweat*, Company H, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George Potter*, Company D, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Van R. Reusslaer Lansingh*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *N. N. Nunn*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Samuel Miller*, Company M, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William A. Bolton*, Company D, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank S. Reed*, Band, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

74. The telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *Frank Brownlow*,

Company H, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, to Company A, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *John Martin*, Company B, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *Charles F. Llewellyn*, Privates *O. J. Hayes*, *C. H. Wood*, *Raymond Cottrell*, *George J. Boyer*, *C. G. Davis*, *N. H. Trimble*, 6th Company, and *Irwin von Busse*, 11th Company, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania;

Sergeant *Harry W. Platt*, Corporal *Charles E. Lynde*, and Private *Albert S. Arnold*, 2d Company; Sergeants *Harry Gabriel* and *John G. Land*, 13th Company, Jacksonville, Florida;

Corporal *Joe E. Brown* and Private *Frank C. Sreenan*, 12th Company, Lexington, Kentucky:

Sergeant *R. S. Bonansinga*, 17th Company, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *W. C. Wright*, Company I, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ernest E. Pagett*, Company B, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George W. Lucas*, Company C, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Milton J. Ernest*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Andrew Cooke*, Troop M, 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *Jesse Orchard*, Company K, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Richard W. Ropiequet*, Company D, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John T. Lathem*, Company K, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

80. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James C. Coffman*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Fred Law*, Company C, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Calvin C. Brackett*, Battery A, 1st Maine Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Richard O. Connor*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

82. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Henry Lewis Bright*, Company A, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

83. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *W. S. Massey*, Company F, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

84. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William A. Groshon*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Rowland Lassetter*, Company C, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. M. Williams*, Company C, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *R. Spencer Van De Vanter*, Company A, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

85. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edmund G. Mantz*, Company G, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Robert G. Fraser*, Company A, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Delaware Howard*, *Theodore Turner*, and *William Duncan*, Company M, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Frank M. Gardner*, Company D, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Sergeant *Eugene D. Sprace*, Company K, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

86. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William P. Adams*, 1st Troop, Utah Volunteer Cavalry;

Privates *Lucien W. Coy, jr.*, Company A, and *John Grubbs*, Company B, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Maurice J. Claggett*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

87. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Granville P. Rose*, Company E, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John W. Kahl*, — Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Sergeants *Joe A. Harris*, Troop I, and *George B. Russell*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *Roy F. Darling*, 9th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *George S. Renick*, 6th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

88. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Andrew S. Morris*, Company B; Privates *George W. Hill* and *Frank G. Skinner*, Company E; Sergeant *Pelham Trotman*, Company F; Sergeant *Norman S. Brown*, Corporal *James E. Cuthbert*, Private *David Callender, jr.*, Company K, and Private *Jesse W. Beale*, Company I, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *L. A. Van Tassell*, Company M, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, from this office, in the case of 1st Lieutenant *George G. Gatley*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is revoked, and 2d Lieutenant *Louis R. Burgess*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service and will proceed to New Haven, Connecticut, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second class Private *George Connors*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Walter H. Finlay*, Troop B, 1st Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Harry N. Koons*, Troop L, 2d Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Franklin T. Marsh*, Troop F, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Owen Neal*, Battery B, 1st Artillery, Hilton Head, South Carolina;

Privates *Roy K. Cumberworth*, *William H. Dossett*, *Charles A. Gates*, *Ralph J. Greene*, *Leonard McFarlin*, Battery H, and Private *Robert A. Wyatt*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *William A. Grant*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Privates *Charles Lenigan*, *Harry M. Ellenberger*, and *Joseph L. McClelland*, Battery K, 4th Artillery, Sheridans Point, Virginia;

Private *Jesse A. Woodward*, Band, 6th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *Hizer L. Young*, Battery K, 6th Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *John J. Walters*, Battery G, 7th Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *Henry J. Mullick*, Battery I, 7th Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Roland Cassell*, Company H, 2d Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *George W. Bennett* and *Harry J. Lanier*, Company G, 4th Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Samuel B. Day*, Company I, 8th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Charles Ford*, Company E, 17th Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Sergeant *Paul F. McCormick*, Company I; Corporal *Wesley E. Hawley* and Private *Alonzo C. Weddle*, Company L, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *Harve Butler*, *Edward N. Dornsife*, *George E. Richards*, Company A; *Frank M. De Pew, jr.*, Company B; *George A. Mestlin*, Company E; *Hugh Roberts*, Company I, and *John F. Hann*, Company L, 21st Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

91. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Alexander Dow*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

92. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Allan A. Robbins*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

93. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert C. Davis*, 17th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 90, September 14, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended nineteen days on account of sickness.

94. Leave of absence to November 3, 1898, is granted Captain *Henry D. McCutcheon*, Adjutant, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry.

95. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Alfred B. Percy*, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 109, 7th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

96. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Chaplain *George D. Sanders*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Walter V. H. Black*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Michael Cronin*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry.

97. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *George H. Wuchter*, assistant surgeon, 8th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 83, September 7, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

98. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William Brooke*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is relieved at his own request from further duty on the staff of Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, and will report in person to his regimental commander for duty.

99. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Hiram E. Mitchell*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now on leave of absence, is relieved from further duty with the 1st Army Corps, at Knoxville, Tennessee, and will proceed at once from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quartermaster's steamer "Mississippi," to relieve Captain *Carroll Mercer*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties, and will proceed on that steamer to such points as may be designated by Colonel *Kimball*. The future movements of the steamer will be governed by orders to be given by proper authority after arrival at its destinations. The commanding general at Knoxville, Tennessee, will designate an officer to perform Captain *Mitchell's* duties and to receive and receipt for the funds and property for which he is accountable. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

100. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Forrest H. Hathaway*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, is appointed Special Inspector under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, for the purpose of inspecting and disposing of a quantity of coal belonging to the Quartermaster's

Department, now stored in lighters at Cramps' Shipyard, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

101. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Charles G. Penney*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is appointed a Special Inspector, under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable public animals as may be presented to him at Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army.

102. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Louis W. Crampton*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will report in person to Major *William P. Vose*, 6th U. S. Artillery, chief mustering officer, for duty pertaining to the muster out of the 5th Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

103. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Vertner Kenerson*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Myer, Virginia, to Fort McHenry, Maryland, for the purpose of appearing as a witness before the court-martial in the case of Private *Van Lill*, Hospital Corps, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

104. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James B. Hallwood*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

105. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Thomas M. Anderson, jr.*, 13th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to Major General *Thomas M. Anderson*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

106. Leave of absence for four months, to take effect as soon as practicable after the arrival of his company at its new station, is granted Captain *George K. McGunnegle*, 15th Infantry.

107. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Carver Howland*, 4th Infantry, in Special

Orders, No. 92, September 16, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

108. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John F. Madden*, 5th U. S. Infantry, will report to the Quartermaster General of the Army, for temporary duty on the steamer "Victor," as Acting Assistant Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence.

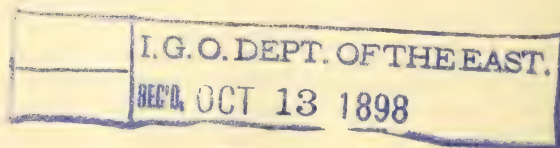
109. By direction of the Secretary of War, and under the provisions of the act of Congress approved July 7, 1898, Lieutenant Colonel *Frank E. Nye*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, is assigned to the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the purchasing depot at Huntsville, Alabama, with the rank of Colonel, to take effect from this date.

110. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey from Santiago, Cuba, to Fort McPherson, Georgia, made by 1st Lieutenant *Winthrop S. Wood*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, in compliance with the verbal orders of July 3, 1898, from Major *Louis A. La Garde*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

111. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Winthrop S. Wood*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will repair to and take station in this city for medical treatment, for such time as may be necessary. He will report to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 238.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 8, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Gordon D. Taylor*, 5th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now on furlough in this city awaiting muster out, will be discharged the service by the commanding officer of his company upon receipt of this order. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William H. Lyons*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 1, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. Private *George Noebe*, Troop L, 1st Cavalry, now in this city, and without means to join his command, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Riley, Kansas, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty:

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for three days, it being impracticable for the soldier to carry rations of any kind.

The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay rolls of his troop.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Thomas Castor*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *John F. Coates*, Troop F, 1st Cavalry, Fort Keogh, Montana;

Privates *Emmet B. McClure*, Troop A, and *Mark H. Smith*, Troop M, 2d Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Corporal *Charles Gross*, Troop B, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Albert E. Worden*, Troop L, 5th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *William Hughes*, *Harry Kaisse*, and *Charles De Reuter*, Troop F, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Adjutant General

Privates *George Langendorf*, Troop I, and *Mathias Schmucker*, Troop K, 8th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Harrison L. Staley*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Ralph B. Dixon*, Battery M, 5th Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Privates *John Henchey* and *Willard Ingerson*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida;

Private *Thomas H. Liming*, Battery E, 6th Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Thomas J. Fennessey*, Band, 7th Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Sergeant *John H. Howard*, Battery L, 7th Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Augustus B. Beckwith*, Company I, 2d Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *David Archer*, Company —, 5th Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *Frederick E. Buchen*, Company H, 7th Infantry, Montauk Point, New York;

Privates *Winfield D. Keely*, Company C, and *John J. Sheehan*, Company A, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Arthur W. Vernier*, Company C, 19th Infantry, Ponce, Porto Rico;

Private *Baldo Luitich*, Company M, 23d Infantry, Camp Merriam, Presidio of San Francisco, California.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Horace M. Reeve*, 3d U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Major General *John C. Bates*, U. S. Volunteers, will, at his own request, proceed to join his regiment for temporary duty until such time as his services may be needed as aid-de-camp. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, October 8, 1898.

By direction of the President, the unexecuted portion of the sentence published in General Orders, No. 39, Headquarters 7th Army Corps, October 2, 1898, in the case of Colonel *Casimir Andel*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, is remitted and Colonel *Andel* will be restored to duty.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,
Assistant Secretary of War.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles L. Heizmann*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will turn over the medical and hospital property in his possession at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Major *Ira C. Brown*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, to be stored and cared for by him at that place until further orders, and upon completion of this transfer Major *Heizmann* will return to his proper station, Fort Adams, Rhode Island. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John W. Joyes*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed eight visits to the Rome Locomotive and Machine Works, Rome, New York, and the works of the Economy Foundry and Machine Company, Syracuse, New York, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and upon completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. Leave of absence for ten days is granted Major *William R. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas Swobe*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Montauk Point, New York, and will repair to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will, upon completion of the duties assigned him by paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, proceed from Montauk Point, New York, to Fort Hamilton, New York, and thence to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and inspect such unserviceable Quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at those places, for which purpose he is hereby appointed Special Inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James S. Michael*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, re-

recently appointed, will repair to this city, and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for instructions.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward G. Hennessy*, Company F, 2d Infantry, now on furlough at his home, 206 East 8th street, New Albany, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Frank M. Brown*, *X. O'Leary*, *William J. Anderson*, and *Edward M. Chervenka*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Wikoff, New York, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at that camp.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Private *Edgar Maxwell Page*, Battery I, 6th Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Nathan L. Walters*, Company G, 2d Infantry, Aniston, Alabama;

Musician *James J. Duggan*, Company F, 13th Infantry, Fort Columbus, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *William Ferguson*, Company A, 16th Infantry, now on furlough and supposed to be at his home in New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. Private *Joseph Berrane*, Company F, 21st Infantry, now supposed to be sick in hospital at Fort Wadsworth, New York, is transferred to Battery L, 6th Artillery, stationed at that post.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruits *Frank Clark*, *Walter T. Hale*, and *Henry J. Sturz*, 17th Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will

be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Aberbach*, Company —, 8th Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer of his regiment will order him to report to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

20. Private *George Cartlidge*, Company C, 12th Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, at that post.

21. Private *John McGowan*, Company —, 7th Infantry, now attached to Company I, 19th Infantry, at camp near Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to that company and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Holdridge*, Troop H, 5th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Robert L. Baker*, Troop G, 6th Cavalry, now on sick furlough at his home, Abingdon, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William C. Liller*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Benjamin T. Lanham*, Fort Myer, Virginia;

Private *B. Harry Nye*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Lloyd B. Taylor*, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Ensign A. Ferguson*, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *John C. Selby*, Hospital Ship "Missouri," 39 Whitehall street, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Palmer Little*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. The following-named recruits of the 7th, 8th, 9th, 13th, and 17th Infantry, now attached to the 11th Infantry in Porto Rico, are transferred to that regiment:

SEVENTH INFANTRY.

Patrick Rohan, Edward H. Welsh, William Wilson, Michael White, Freeman A. West, Louis J. Williams, Hugh Quinn, Thomas H. Reynolds, John P. Rielly, Thomas Riley, Robert L. Sargent, John T. Shortsleve, Albert Swanbeck, John J. Tighe, George F. Twitchell, John J. Tobin, Harry Ulin.

EIGHTH INFANTRY.

Harry B. Pennell.

NINTH INFANTRY.

Privates *Charles F. Austin, Frank T. Brailey, George S. Bell, George H. Bingle, Arthur R. Braby, John H. Budd, James J. Meade, Delbert McLane, Robert McLane, Maurice McAllister, Michael Michael, Bert S. Maynard, Simeon Merceau, James Parker, Lyman S. Reynolds, Joseph Rogers, Nicholas B. Samson, John W. Clark, John J. Coffee, Charles Cotier (or Coner), Fred G. Coon, Edward P. Emley, George Genter, Harry Goodfellow, John F. Gronan, Perley M. Hall, Charles H. Hutchinson, Albert Kendall, Fred B. Smith, George W. Schumacher, Archie A. Smitzeer, Charles F. Waldron, Emil R. Williams, Samuel Wooley, Richard W. Webb, Frank C. Woodard, George A. Wilson, Samuel Zarbuchan, Michael J. Griffin, Christopher Garrity.*

THIRTEENTH INFANTRY.

Herman Kraft, Adam Gotthart, Hanley B. James, Charles F. Storony, Loranž Stefaniak, Michael Newcyk, Martin McGuire, Michael Monahan, Emil Nack, John Lewis, James Shea, Jacob Heuter, Edward H. Farrell, Fred O. Crowley, Martin Connelly, Lester C. Hill, Peter Gallagher.

SEVENTEENTH INFANTRY.

Ira Maloney, Thomas P. Meehan, Adam Mock, James J. Murray, Thomas A. O'Dea, Bernard O'Neill, Albert Oschea,

Oscar A. Otto, Charles H. Patterson, Edward O. H. Phillips, James A. Sanders, John W. Sainer, Michael J. Sheridan, Harmon L. Sine, Charles Seusser, Charles L. Smith, Joseph L. Smithheisler, Charles H. Sorrell, John C. Spangler, George W. Stone, Norman Stoner, Milton L. Stover, Henry Stutz, Bertie C. Thompson, John J. Thorke, Joseph Trenkler, Alfred H. Vance, Samuel Warden, William Weekley, Clarence E. Weety, Vern Wilcox, Thomas May, Harry A. Murphy, William J. Painter, Martin Ryder, William E. Spencer, Oscar F. Sanders, Emory W. Snider, Alex Rump, James W. Wilson, Koa Wood, Andrew Workosky, Clyde S. Woolman, Albert Wood, John C. Ogden, Peter Rock, William H. Reese, John B. Rosenleib, William Rossiter, William J. Ream, Frederick J. Mavis, Robert Pool, George H. Palmer, Benjamin L. Price, William Retherford.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alvin L. Light*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at his home, National Military Home, Dayton, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the hospital, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. Private *Morris Lavin*, Troop K, 3d Cavalry, now supposed to be with Troop F, 2d Cavalry, at Huntsville, Alabama, who deserted May 9, 1895, and was apprehended June 22, 1898, is restored to duty without trial upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. He is transferred to Troop F, 2d Cavalry, to serve the remainder of his original enlistment.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Quartermaster Sergeant *Peter Eitelberg*, Troop K, and Privates *Elmer J. Gilbert*, Troop F, and *Joseph P. Clarkin*, Troop G, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Edward S. Wood*, Band, 3d Artillery, Angel Island, California;

Sergeant *James Green*, Battery E, 5th Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Corporal *Charles A. Wilson*, Company C, 2d Infantry, Aniston, Alabama;

First Sergeant *John Fuerstenberg*, Company E, 13th Infantry, Fort Niagara, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Archie McGregor*, Battery H, 2d Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Trumbull, Connecticut. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Chief Musician *Johann Vondraeck*, 7th Cavalry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *J. Guy Klees*, Troop M, 2d Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Robert L. Northeutt*, Troop D, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Michael E. McCarthy*, Company L, 5th Infantry, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles A. Exline*, Battery K, 6th Artillery, now in confinement at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Guy Lamberson*, Company B, 2d Infantry, on furlough at Paw Paw, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment,

who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Henry J. Stoll*, Hospital Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph B. Turner*, Company M, 5th Infantry, now at Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Byron D. Barhite*, Battery K, 5th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. Private *Eugene H. Fox*, Company —, 17th Infantry, now attached to Company E, 19th Infantry, at camp near Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to that company and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

39. Private *William J. Westfield*, Battery F, 1st Artillery, now at Tybee Island, Georgia, is, upon his own application, transferred to Battery H, 6th Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Monroe, Virginia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benjamin F. Kelley*, Hospital Corps, now at 1st Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, is transferred to Fort Monroe, Virginia. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival to the surgeon commanding Josiah Simpson General Hospital for duty.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James R. Maxwell*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge at Army Building, 39 Whitehall street, New York City, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. The sick leave of absence of thirty days granted 1st Lieutenant *Willis R. Vance*, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, by the surgeon commanding the General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, is extended one month on account of sickness.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Z. Orto*, surgeon, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

44. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *E. E. Leonard*, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 223, paragraph 37, September 20, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

45. Second Lieutenant *Guy E. Manning*, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from further duty as aid on the staff of Major General *H. S. Hawkins*, U. S. Volunteers, and will await orders for his own convenience until the muster out of his regiment.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Seth S. Ullrich*, assistant surgeon, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Stanley J. Lowe*, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Samuel G. Hendren*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Hermann Siegel*, Troop E, 1st Cavalry, Fort Wash-
akie, Wyoming;

Private *Marik F. Ascher* and Trumpeter *John A. Mulligan*, Troop M, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Sergeant *Harry C. Bryan*, Troop M, 5th Cavalry, Hunts-
ville, Alabama;

Private *Samuel Pinyard*, Troop L, 6th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Thomas Shorter*, Troop F, 9th Cavalry, Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory;

Privates *William Jackson* and *Benjamin McAfee*, Troop K, 10th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Frank A. Smyth*, Battery D, 1st Artillery, Newnan, Georgia;

Private *Miner N. Howard*, Battery H, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Phillip T. Cleckley*, Battery M, 1st Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *George S. Ames*, Battery F, 2d Artillery, attached to Light Battery F, 3d Artillery, Coamo, Porto Rico;

Private *Mortimer Hartrick*, Battery D, 4th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *David L. Blanchfield*, Battery G, 4th Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Berton Driskell*, Battery I, 4th Artillery, Fort Mott, New Jersey;

Private *Dennis Burkett*, Battery M, 4th Artillery, Battery Point, Delaware;

Private *Frank H. White*, Battery A, 5th Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York;

Privates *William Angus* and *John B. Droney*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida;

Private *Arthur D. Pearce*, Battery H, 6th Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Isaac Hurwitz*, Battery L, 6th Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Timothy Reynolds*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Privates *Timothy Haney*, *John A. Pfaffenberger*, and Corporal *Charles Wuest*, Company A, 2d Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Robert J. Thomson*, Company B, 4th Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Corporal *James H. Lawrence*, Company A, 11th Infantry, Porto Rico;

Private *John D. Hess*, Company C, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Waldo T. Weaver*, Company A, 20th Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the orders of October 5, 1898, directing Major *R. Emmett Giffin*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in charge of the Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, to proceed to this city on official business pertaining to the Medical Department, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, are confirmed, and, on completion of the duty contemplated, he will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Major *Egon A. Koerper*, surgeon, president of the examining board, appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion:

First Lieutenant *Frederick R. Day*, Quartermaster, 20th Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles H. Muir*, Adjutant, 2d Infantry.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to the place of receipt by them of this order:

First Lieutenant *Harry Clement*, 21st Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 22d Infantry, subject to examination);

First Lieutenant *Edgar F. Koehler*, 9th Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 9th Infantry, subject to examination).

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report by letter without delay to Major *Egon A. Koerper*, surgeon, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special

Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, for instructions relating to their examinations to determine their fitness for promotion:

Captain *Wilds T. Richardson*, 8th Infantry (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 8th Infantry, subject to examination);

First Lieutenant *Edgar S. Walker*, 8th Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Joseph C. Castner*, 4th Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 4th Infantry, subject to examination);

First Lieutenant *Edwin Bell*, 8th Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 8th Infantry, subject to examination).

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles L. Collins*, 23d Infantry (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 11th Infantry, subject to examination), military attaché, Caracas, Venezuela, will report by letter, without delay, to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for instructions relating to his examination to determine his fitness for promotion.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 65, Special Orders, No. 227, September 26, 1898, from this office, as directs Acting Assistant Surgeon *Alexander McF. McMasters*, U. S. Army, to proceed to Cuba, is revoked, and he will report in person to Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for duty pertaining to the muster out of Pennsylvania volunteer troops. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. Captain *George S. Grimes*, 2d U. S. Artillery, and the 1st sergeant of his battery, will proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on official business pertaining to the preparation of the battery property for shipment, and upon completion of this duty will return to their proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. Major *Henry W. Wessells, jr.*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, awaiting orders, will proceed to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. The leave of absence granted Captain *Carroll Mercer*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Or-

ders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Anita N. McGee*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Fort Monroe, Virginia, on official business pertaining to the Medical Department of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to her proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Rufus D. Boss*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, are relieved from their present duties, and will report in person for duty as hereinafter specified:

First Lieutenant *Clarence C. Williams*, to the commanding officer, Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Illinois;

First Lieutenant *William H. Tschappat*, to the commanding officer, Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts;

First Lieutenant *Samuel Hof*, to the commanding officer, Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, New York;

First Lieutenant *Kenneth Morton*, to the commanding officer, Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eugene L. Swift*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Concord, New Hampshire, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the muster out of the New Hampshire volunteer troops. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Harry A. Dawson*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, will proceed to New York City and report by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East, Governors Island, New York.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Harry A. Dawson*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will, on completion of his duties at New York, New York, proceed by first steamer to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

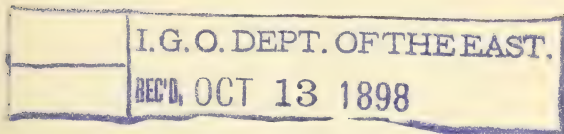
63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of Special Orders, No. 230, paragraph 107, September 29, 1898, from this office, as relates to Sergeant *Robert E. Fraser*, Company A, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 57, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, relating to Corporal *Oscar V. Sessoms*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Special Orders, No. 229, paragraph 24, September 28, 1898, from this office, relating to the discharge from the service of the United States of Private *J. C. Griffin*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read, "the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office."

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 239. } Washington, October 10, 1898.

1. Artificer *Charles Sana*, Battery E, 1st Artillery, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his battery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Privates *John Jarusch*, Troop B; *John Conlin*, Troop C, and *Peter Rouner*, Troop K, 6th Cavalry (stragglers), now in this city, will be sent to the station of their regiment, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

The transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against these soldiers on the next muster and pay rolls of their respective troops.

3. Private *Willie Wood*, Troop C, 10th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

4. Privates *Frank Hanks*, *Benjamin West*, *Edward Gray*, and *John H. Laws*, Troop F, 10th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of their regiment, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

The increased cost of subsistence will be charged against these soldiers on the next muster and pay roll of their troop.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *George McC. Derby*, chief engineer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 80, September 4, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month.

Adjutant General

6. By direction of the President, Major *Eugene T. Wilson*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Artillery), is honorably discharged by the Secretary of War as Captain, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, only, upon tender of his resignation, to take effect October 4, 1898.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Dean M. Seabolt*, Company A, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lewis E. Wright*, Company A, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Joseph Hunt*, Company F, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Harry S. McGee*, Company H, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Fred G. Barber*, Private *William T. Hoyt*, Company A, and Private *Floyd M. Merrill*, Company B, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Theodore Aaron*, Company F, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *Charles B. Nesbit*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Paul Gosslee*, Company G, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Richard J. Mullen*, Company K, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert T. Davis*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry Collins*, Company H, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lewis Gregor*, Company H, 8th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *D. L. Hayes*, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Gordon Frierson*, Company C, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John S. Hutchins*, Company L, 8th California Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Henry L. Nunn*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James B. Morgan*, Company D, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John A. Pope*, Company E, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *D. M. Martin*, Company C; Corporals *Reuben D. W. Harry*, *Henry C. Whiteman*, Privates *Allie W. Clouse*, *George T. Daugherty*, *Ralph Finkelstein*, and *James J. Timmens*, Company E; Private *Ham P. Bee*, Company I; Sergeants *Richard E. Bramlett*, *Frank P. Meadow*, *Alfred S. Taber*, and Private *Earnest R. Evans*, Company K; Private *Homer H. Ray*, Company L, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

Sergeant *James M. Rogers*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Thomas P. Gaines*, Company D, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *John C. R. Taylor*, Company K, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Albert E. Le Roy* and Private *William D. Hockensmith*, Company A, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George W. Campbell*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frank Stafford*, Company A, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Clarence S. Nettles*, Company A, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Donnelly*, Battery D, 1st Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Harms*, Ordnance Detachment, Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, is transferred to Benicia Arsenal, California. He will be sent to that station and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *W. Halsey Ellis*, Troop G, 3d Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Fred Hardy*, Troop E, 2d Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Harry E. Howard*, Band, 6th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *John Mollering*, Battery B, 7th Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *J. Ernest Barbour*, Company E, 12th Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Robert E. L. Michie*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 107, September 21, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is changed to a leave of absence on account of sickness, and extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, Privates *Charles Bierman*, Company G, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, *Alar J. Williams*, Company M, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, and *Luther N. Kincart*, Company L, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates, and will report to Captain *F. E. Lyman, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky.

26. Private *Frederick J. Werner*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, now at Fort Constitution, New Hampshire, is, upon his own application, transferred to Battery H, 5th Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Hamilton, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph Rote*, Troop B, 1st Cavalry, now supposed to be in confinement at Fort Riley, Kansas, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Tellesphore Payette*, 2d Artillery, now at the recruiting station, No. 20, Walker Building, Worcester, Massachusetts, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at the

stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *John J. Gill* and *William H. Jeffrey*, and Acting Hospital Steward *Ernest L. Harris*, Montauk Point, New York;

Hospital Steward *Lawrence J. Fennelly* and Private *John W. Bowers*, Hospital Corps, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Francis L. Bangert*, Battery E, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Preble, Maine, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter O. Bressler*, Company —, 21st Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 213, September 9, 1898, from this office, relating to Commissary Sergeant *George M. Berkel*, is revoked.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Carl F. Meyer*, Battery D, 2d Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles J. Halper*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Frank L. Joannini*, Hospital Corps, Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Edgar A. Singer*, Company E, and Private *William N. Rogers*, Company D, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Musician *Ed. N. Handley*, Company F, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles H. Geesey*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, 3d Division, Lexington, Kentucky, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. Captain *Osman Latrobe*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now awaiting orders, will proceed to the Department of Santiago and join his regiment for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the President, Captain *Xenophon Z. Hicks*, 6th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank E. Hobbs*, Ordnance Department, will make not to exceed twelve visits during each of the months of October, November, and December, 1898, to the works of the American Ordnance Company, Bridgeport, Connecticut, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on the completion of that duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank E. Hobbs*, Ordnance Department, will make not to exceed ten

visits during each of the months of October, November, and December, 1898, to the works of the Driggs-Seabury Gun and Ammunition Company, Derby, Connecticut, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of that duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *James A. Irons*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 85, September 9, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

44. By direction of the President, Captain *William H. Lamar*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 15, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. Under instructions from the President, Captain *James G. Warren*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, is detailed by the Secretary of War for duty, in addition to his other duties, as engineer of the 9th Light-House District, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Milton B. Adams*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, of that portion of his duties. Captain *Warren* will report by letter to the Secretary of the Treasury for duty accordingly, and will retain station at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

46. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Thomas M. Anderson, jr.*, 13th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 210, September 6, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

47. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *William A. Campbell*, 22d Infantry.

48. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Milton L. McGrew*, 11th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 6, September 16, 1898, Headquarters, U. S. troops in Puerto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

49. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability

granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Battle*, 11th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 5, September 4, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month.

50. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *McKee Dunn McKee*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 31, 1898, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Colonel *James W. Scully*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.

52. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *William H. Mulla*y, 21st Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 88, September 12, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

53. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William McBryar*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 56, September 25, 1898, Headquarters, U. S. troops, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is extended seven days.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Henry Abbot*, 1st Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 161, July 11, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John D. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army, on completion of his present duties pertaining to the muster out of Pennsylvania volunteers, will proceed to Benicia Barracks, California, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of California. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William F. de Niedeman*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now on duty at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, will proceed at once to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that post for duty pertaining to the muster out of 1st Missouri Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Rudolph G. Ebert*, surgeon, U. S. Army, having reported in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, in this city, in compliance with paragraph 87, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, will proceed to Vancouver Barracks, Washington, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Columbia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Major *Andrew G. C. Quay*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William E. de Salazar*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas Y. Aby*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. Leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *William J. Sewell, jr.*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers.

62. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *Mervyn C. Buckey*, 5th Artillery.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles Willcox*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present leave of absence will proceed to Columbia, South Carolina, and report in person to Captain *Ezra B. Fuller*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer, for duty pertaining to the muster out of the 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Marshall*

W. Wood, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty with troops in the field, and at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and on expiration of his present sick leave of absence will proceed to Boise Barracks, Idaho, and turn over the medical property for which he is responsible at that post; upon conclusion of which he will proceed to Fort Douglas, Utah, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Guy C. M. Godfrey*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on completion of his examination for promotion will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding officer, 10th U. S. Cavalry, for duty with that regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James M. Kennedy*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on completion of his examination for promotion, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Brigadier General *Louis H. Carpenter*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in duties and stations of officers of the Medical Department are made:

Major *Timothy E. Wilcox*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Fort Schuyler, New York, will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to the chief mustering officer for temporary duty pertaining to the muster out of New York volunteers, to relieve Major *William C. Borden*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and on completion of that duty will return to his proper station;

Major *Borden*, having been thus relieved, is relieved from further duty at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and will proceed to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, to relieve Major *George W. Adair*, surgeon, U. S. Army, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East;

Major *Adair*, on being thus relieved, will proceed to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and report in person to the commanding

officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. The verbal orders given 1st Lieutenant *George P. Ahern*, 25th U. S. Infantry, October 8, 1898, to remain in this city until November 8, 1898, for the convenience of the Government, are confirmed by the Secretary of War.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will rejoin his proper station, Fort Preble, Maine. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John E. McMahon*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, and will report in person to Brigadier General *Louis H. Carpenter*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding Cavalry Brigade, at Huntsville, Alabama, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Ralph Cooper*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 105, current series, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *James S. Kennedy*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 17, September 1, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on account of sickness.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles Lynch*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on temporary duty at Camp Frank Ardmore, Indian Territory, will proceed to Little Rock, Arkansas, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the examination of the 1st Arkansas Volunteers, to be mustered out of service October 25, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability, granted Major

Harry E. Wilkins, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness

75. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Brigadier General *Simon Snyder*, U. S. Volunteers.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John W. Wright*, U. S. Army, having arrived at Fort Monroe, Virginia, on the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief" from Ponce, Porto Rico, will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles P. Russ*, Adjutant, 11th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 5, September 14, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Walter D. McCaw*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and on expiration of his present sick leave of absence will proceed to Fort Porter, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Alfred E. Bradley*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in command of the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will proceed to this city on official business pertaining to the Medical Department and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, and on completion of that duty will rejoin the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," at New York City, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will proceed to Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Harrisburg, Wilkesbarre, and such other points in Pennsylvania as may be necessary, to make payments, on muster out, to Pennsylvania Volunteers, and the following-

named officers of the Pay Department will report to Major *Rogers* and assist him in the payments:

Major *Frank M. Hammond*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *George C. Stewart*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Eugene Coffin*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *William J. Black*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Washington Haverstick*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Merrill W. Lang*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Pierre C. Stevens*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Thomas C. Goodman*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

Each paymaster will be accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk. The Quartermaster's Department will transport the funds necessary for these payments by express to such points as the paymasters may direct. On completion of the payments the officers named will return to their proper stations. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eugene O. Feché*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Governors Island, New York, and Middletown, Pennsylvania, and carry out such special instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, and upon completion of that duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Charles G. Harris*, 10th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Washington, District of Columbia, and return, made September 19 and 20, 1898, by

Major *David C. Peyton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in compliance with telegraphic instructions from the Acting Surgeon General of the Army, is approved as having been necessary for the public service.

84. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Russel Garrison*, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, is extended until October 15, 1898, on account of sickness.

85. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Sam. W. James*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 104, current series, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eldridge E. Wright*, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person without delay to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion:

Captain *Thomas Sharp*, 17th Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Louis H. Bash*, 13th Infantry.

Upon the conclusion of his examination, Captain *Sharp* will return to his proper station.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William E. Richards*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *Charles Willcox*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, who is hereby relieved.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John P. Story*, 7th Artillery, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, *vice* Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph G. Ramsay*, 7th Artillery, who is hereby relieved.

90. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Eugene H. Chamberlain*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 5, September 14, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

91. On the recommendation of the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, the following transfers in the 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry are ordered:

First Lieutenant *Augustus C. Hart*, from Company C to Company B;

First Lieutenant *Joseph C. West*, from Company B to Company C;

Second Lieutenant *John W. Lancaster*, from Company A to Company B;

Second Lieutenant *Charles M. Hilliard*, from Company B to Company A.

92. Leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *Daniel C. Devlin*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

93. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Clarence E. Myers*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 126, August 28, 1898, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

94. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Fred R. Becker*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 5, September 14, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

95. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Herman J. Abraham*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 5, September 14, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

96. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

First Lieutenant *Jacob M. Doolittle*, Adjutant, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *C. William Newton*, assistant surgeon, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 16, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *R. L. Livingston*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 31, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Paul R. Towne*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

97. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

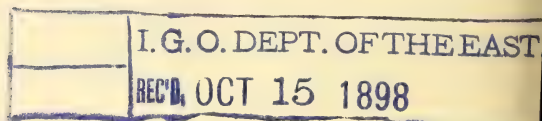
Lieutenant Colonel *Charles C. Mattes*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *L. T. Beck*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

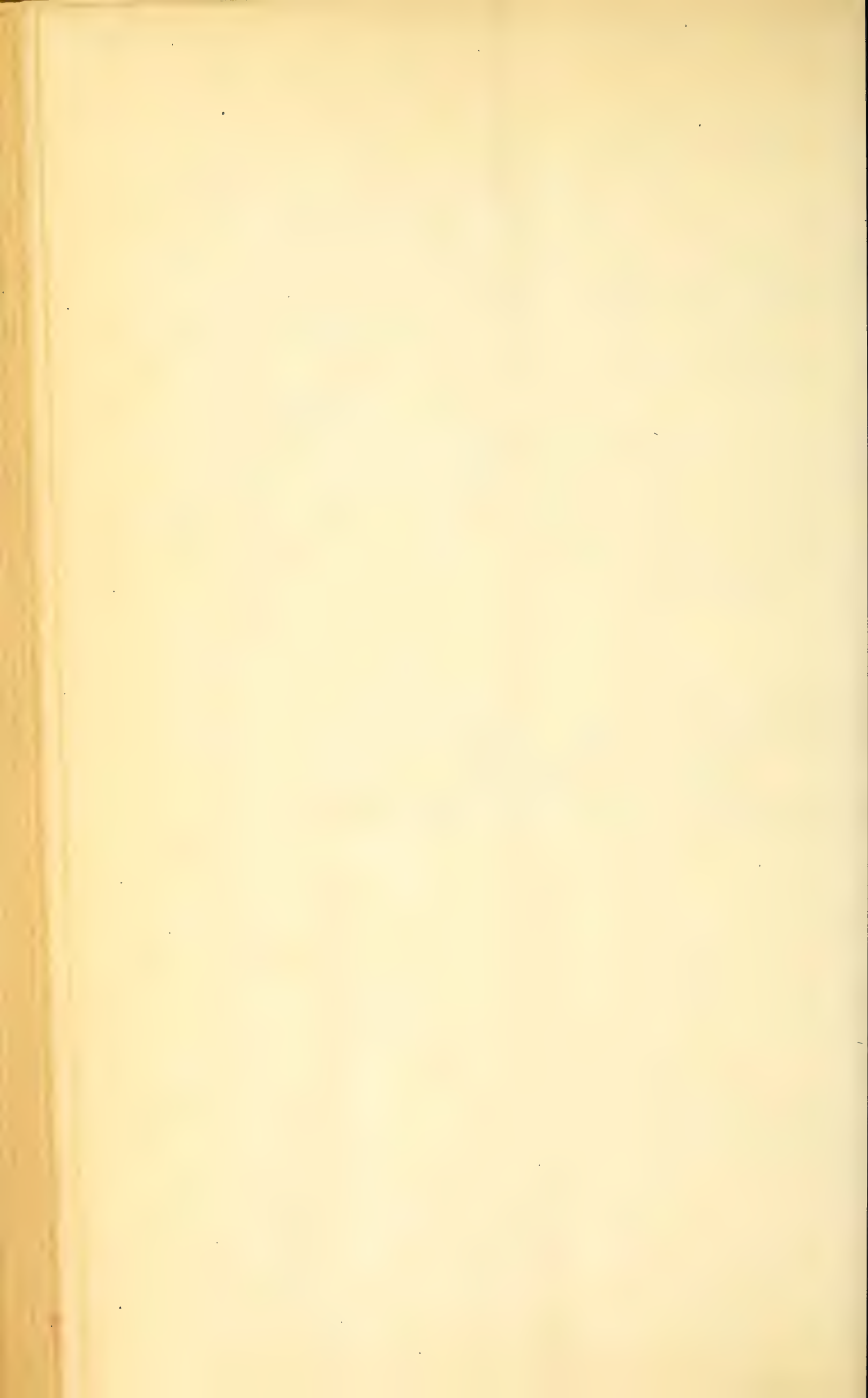
First Lieutenant *J. Wilson Poucher*, assistant surgeon, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 216. } Washington, September 15, 1899.

1. Private *Bernard A. Hendren*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, is upon his own application transferred to Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Myer, Virginia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

2. Recruit *W. A. Smith*, 34th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, Vancouver Barracks, Washington, is transferred to the 35th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, stationed at that post, and will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

3. The resignation of Cadet *Arthur H. Bradley*, 4th class, U. S. Military Academy, is accepted by the Secretary of War.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, stationed at the posts designated after their respective names, will be sent to Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and will report upon their arrival to the commanding officer, 45th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, for duty with that regiment:

Privates *George V. Graff*, *James Brown*, and *William F. DeVoe*, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Ernest C. Meyer*, Fort Wayne, Michigan.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1899, from this office, directing that Private *Samuel D. Bradlee*, Hospital Corps, be sent from Fort Columbus, New York, to the hospital ship "Missouri" for transportation to the Philippine Islands are hereby confirmed.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named hospital stewards, stationed at the posts designated after their respective names, will be sent to San Francisco, California, and will report upon their arrival to the commanding general, Department of California, who will furnish them transportation to Manila, Philippine Islands:

Francois L. Oltmans, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

William C. Livingston, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia.

Upon their arrival at Manila they will report to the commanding general, Department of the Pacific, for assignment to duty.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, stationed at

the posts designated after their respective names, are transferred to Angel Island, California:

Privates *Charles H. Smith*, *Charles M. Talley*, and *Paul Yeatman*, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Privates *James J. Eells*, *George T. Higgins*, and *William S. Osburn*, Fort Crook, Nebraska.

They will be sent to that post and will report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty with the Hospital Corps school of instruction.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *David M. Wills*, U. S. General Hospital, Savannah, Georgia, will be sent to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that post, who will forward him with the detachment ordered from there to Angel Island, California. Upon his arrival at the latter station he will report to the commanding officer for duty with the Hospital Corps school of instruction.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the officers in charge of their respective stations:

Recruits *Isaac T. Martin* and *Charles H. McVey*, general service, recruiting station, Des Moines, Iowa;

Recruit *Stephen H. Mosher*, general service, recruiting station, 25 Third avenue, New York City, New York.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations these soldiers are not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished them.

10. Private *Matthias Haasis*, Troop K, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Niobrara, Nebraska, is transferred to Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Meade, South Dakota, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

11. Private *Michael O'Donnell*, Company B, 13th U. S. Infantry, now at Manila, Philippine Islands, is transferred to Company C, 18th U. S. Infantry, serving at that place.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 6, 1899, from this office, directing the discharge of Corporal *Walter H. Shackford*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, by the commanding officer of Fort McHenry, Maryland, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Sevin*, Hospital Corps, U. S. transport "McClellan," now supposed to be in New York Harbor, will be discharged

the service of the United States by the superintendent of the Army transport service, Army building, New York City. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

14. Private *Edward A. O'Hagan*, Infantry service, now attached to Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Walla Walla, Washington, is transferred to that troop and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

First-class Private *William Annon*, ordnance detachment, Springfield Armory, Massachusetts;

First-class Private *William T. Douglas*, ordnance detachment, Benicia Arsenal, California;

Private *Thomas J. O'Brien*, Company L, 1st U. S. Infantry, Guanajay, Cuba.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Fred C. Sparks*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming;

Private *Charles F. Nolan*, Battery B, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Private *Henry W. Martin*, Battery L, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort Du Pont, Delaware;

Private *Charles A. Montondo*, Company G, 26th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, San Francisco, California;

Private *Jesse Napper, jr.*, Company K, and Recruit *Evarard C. Brown*, 29th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations these soldiers are not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished them.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John Landstreet, jr.*, assistant quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed to Governor's Island, New York, and report in person to the commanding general, Department of the East, for temporary duty.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John Landstreet, jr.*, assistant quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, upon the completion of such duty as may be assigned him by the commanding general, Department of the East will proceed to

San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding general, Department of Porto Rico, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank McCann*, Company H, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, is transferred to the Hospital Corps. He will be sent to Angel Island, California, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty with the Hospital Corps school of instruction at that post.

20. Private *James W. Ricketts*, Company G, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the 4th U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the Presidio of San Francisco, California, reporting upon arrival to the commanding officer of that post for transportation to Manila, Philippine Islands. Upon his arrival at Manila he will report to the commanding officer of the regiment to which he is transferred for assignment to a troop.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Roleigh Seabee*, general service, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps. He will be sent to Angel Island, California, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty with the Hospital Corps school of instruction at that post.

22. Under paragraph 155 of the Regulations, Musician *Larkin C. Dimsdale*, Company E, 15th U. S. Infantry, now at recruiting station, Asheville, North Carolina, will be sent to the U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, for medical treatment.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1899, from this office, directing the discharge of Private *Marcus Covell*, Company D, 7th U. S. Infantry, by the commanding officer of Fort Crook, Nebraska, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *H. D. Blatherwick*, Company F, 33d Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations this soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *E. E. McLendon*, Company F, 33d Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will be discharged the service of

the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. Second Lieutenant *Morton L. Avery*, 43d Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from August 17, 1899, now in New York City, will proceed to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and report in person to his regimental commander for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. Second Lieutenant *James D. Keene*, 11th Cavalry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from August 12, 1899, will proceed to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, to accompany recruits to Manila, Philippine Islands.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles A. Bennett*, 3d U. S. Artillery, is detailed as a member of the examining board convened at San Francisco, California, by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *John D. C. Hoskins*, 3d U. S. Artillery, who is hereby relieved.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Albert S. Towar*, deputy paymaster general, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty in the Department of California, and will proceed by transport with funds, under direction of the Paymaster General of the Army, to Manila, Philippine Islands, and upon arrival there report to the commanding general, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as chief paymaster, to relieve Major *Charles McClure*, paymaster, U. S. Army, who upon being thus relieved will proceed to San Francisco, California, and report by telegraph to the Adjutant General of the Army for further orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James Ross*, 45th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from August 17, 1899, will proceed to Portland, Oregon, and report in person at the recruiting station at that place for temporary duty to assist in recruiting for volunteer infantry, white, unassigned. Unless otherwise directed, at the expiration of ten days from the date on which he shall report as herein directed the recruiting officer will forward to Vancouver Barracks, Washington, such recruits as shall have been enlisted through the instrumentality of the officer named, and said officer will accompany such recruits to Vancouver Barracks and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following assignments to duty of assistant adjutants general of volunteers, recently appointed, are ordered:

Major *James B. Hickey* (captain, 8th U. S. Cavalry) will report in person to the commanding general, Division of Cuba, for temporary duty;

Major *Edwin St. J. Greble* (captain, 2d U. S. Artillery) will report in person to the commanding general, Department of Matanzas and Santa Clara, Cuba, for duty as adjutant general of that department;

Major *Robert H. Noble* (captain, 3d U. S. Infantry) is relieved from further duty in the Department of California, and will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the commanding general, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, for assignment to duty.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenants *James D. Reams*, 1st U. S. Infantry, and *Joseph K. Partello*, 5th U. S. Infantry, are relieved from further duty at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. Lieutenant *Reams*, at the expiration of his sick leave of absence, and Lieutenant *Partello*, without unnecessary delay, will proceed to Governors Island, New York, and report in person to the commanding general, Department of the East, for further orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles Keller*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, will be relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Major *Solomon W. Roessler*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, September 30, 1899, and will then report in person to Major *Walter L. Fisk*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, for duty under his immediate orders.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles H. Whipple*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty in the office of the Paymaster General of the Army in this city, to take effect September 16, 1899, and will proceed to New York City for duty under special instructions from the Paymaster General, upon completion of which he will report to the Adjutant General of the Army for further orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. First Lieutenant *John E. Hemphill*, 41st Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from August 17, 1899, now in New York City, will proceed to Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, and report in person to his regimental commander for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. First Lieutenant *Jens E. Stedje*, 47th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from August 17, 1899, will proceed to Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, and report

in person to his regimental commander for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, recently appointed, with rank from August 17, 1899, will report in person at the recruiting stations designated after their respective names for temporary duty to assist in recruiting for their respective regiments:

Forty-first Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, headquarters, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania: 1st Lieutenant *Walter Harvey*, Columbus, Ohio, and 2d Lieutenant *George H. Bailey*, Portland, Maine.

Forty-second Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, headquarters, Fort Niagara, New York: Major *John R. Prime*, Chicago, Illinois; Captain *Worthington Kautzman*, Columbus, Ohio; Captain *Louis M. Lang*, Buffalo, New York, and 1st Lieutenant *Francis H. Lomax*, Albany, New York.

Forty-third Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, headquarters, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont: Captain *Ernest R. Tilton*, New York City, and 2d Lieutenant *William H. Burt*, Providence, Rhode Island.

Forty-fourth Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, headquarters, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas: 1st Lieutenant *William J. White*, Wheeling, West Virginia, and 2d Lieutenant *William S. Blair*, Des Moines, Iowa.

Forty-sixth Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, headquarters, South Framingham, Massachusetts: 1st Lieutenant *Wallace N. Batchelder*, Portland, Maine.

Unless otherwise directed, at the expiration of ten days from the date on which each officer shall report as herein directed the recruiting officer will forward to the regimental rendezvous such recruits as shall have been enlisted through such officer's instrumentality for the regiment to which he may belong, and the officer will accompany such recruits to the rendezvous and report to the commanding officer of his regiment for duty.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Keller Anderson*, 47th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from August 17, 1899, will report in person at the recruiting station at Memphis, Tennessee, for temporary duty to assist in recruiting for his regiment. Unless otherwise directed, at the expiration of ten days from the date on which he shall report as herein directed the recruiting officer will forward to the regimental rendezvous such recruits as shall have been enlisted for said regiment through the instrumentality of the officer named, and said officer will accompany such recruits to the rendezvous and report to the commanding officer of his regiment for duty.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Elias H. Porter*, U. S. Army, now awaiting orders in New York City, will proceed to Fort Hancock, New Jersey, and report in person to the commanding officer for duty at that post to relieve Acting Assistant Surgeon *Louis L. Gilman*, U. S. Army. He will report by letter to the commanding general, Department of the East. Acting Assistant Surgeon *Gilman* upon being thus relieved will proceed to New York City and report in person to Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, medical superintendent, Army transport service, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for seven days, to take effect when relieved from recruiting duty, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Lewis S. Ryan*, 45th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers.

41. Second Lieutenant *Lincoln Washington*, 48th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from September 9, 1899, now at Fort Duchesne, Utah, will proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and report in person to his regimental commander for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. Captain *William R. Staff* and 2d Lieutenant *Beverley Perea*, 49th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, with rank from September 9, 1899, now at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, will proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to their regimental commander for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, September 15, 1899.

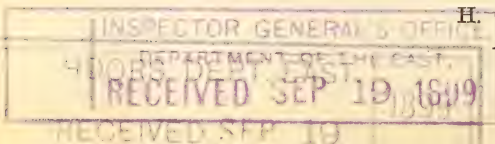
By direction of the President, Captain *William E. Craighill*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, having been appointed major, 40th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty as assistant to the Engineer Commissioner of the District of Columbia.

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Secretary of War.

44. Major *William E. Craighill*, 40th Infantry, U. S. Volunteers (captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), will proceed to Fort Riley, Kansas, and enter upon duty pertaining to the organization of his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 240. } Washington, October 11, 1898.

1. Private *Richard Johnson*, Troop H, 10th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his regiment, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

The increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay-roll of his troop.

2. Sergeant *Marcus Hulings*, Company D, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, having reported to the Adjutant General of the Army in accordance with instructions from the commanding officer of Allegheny Arsenal, Pennsylvania, will proceed to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report to the commanding officer of the 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, for assignment to duty pending the arrival of his regiment in the United States. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

3. Privates *William A. Cooper*, Troop A, and *Ed Washington*, Troop G, 10th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of their regiment, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

The increased cost of subsistence will be charged against these soldiers on the next muster and pay rolls of their respective troops.

4. Musician *Fred Warner*, Troop L, 9th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for six days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

5. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Isaac Newell*, 22d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 86, September 10, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

6. The leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Switzer*, 4th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 188, August 11, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days.

Adjutant General

7. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *James T. Moore*, 3d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 17, September 1, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *William E. West*, U. S. Army, is extended one month on account of sickness.

9. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *James W. Watson*, 10th Cavalry, is extended seven days.

10. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Joseph W. Glidden*, 4th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

11. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Francis C. Marshall*, Adjutant, 6th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 90, September 14, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended ten days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *William E. Stemen*, U. S. Army, is extended one month on account of sickness.

13. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Arthur M. Edwards*, 3d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 128, September 24, 1898, Department of Dakota, is extended twenty days.

14. The following assignments of 2d Lieutenants recently appointed from civil life (to rank from September 9, 1898), are announced:

William O. Wright, jr., to the 19th Infantry;

George Elmer Thorne, to the 22d Infantry.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Powell Clayton, jr.*, 5th Cavalry, will report in person, without delay, to Major *Egon A. Koerper*, surgeon, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Joaquín L. Dueñas*, U. S. Army, will proceed from

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Tampa, Florida, thence by transport sailing Thursday, October 13, 1898, to Havana, Cuba, and upon arrival there will report in person to Colonel *James G. C. Lee*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, president of the board to locate camp sites, for assignment to duty with the board. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John B. Alcorn*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding officer of that camp for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. Captain *William M. Brown*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now on leave of absence in this city, will proceed to New York City and take steamer sailing from that port on Wednesday, October 19, 1898, for Santiago de Cuba, and will join his regiment in the Department of Santiago. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service by the President, this date, of Major General *John J. Coppinger*, U. S. Volunteers, as Brigadier General, U. S. Army, only, by operation of law, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 30, 1882, is announced.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Hugh D. Wise*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as aid to Brigadier General *Henry T. Douglas*, U. S. Volunteers, and will report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty with that brigade.

21. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Howard G. Young*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 210, September 6, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *David Price*, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry (1st Lieutenant, 1st Artillery), is relieved from further duty as Acting Assistant Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence in connection with the mustering in of Virginia volunteers, and will transfer public funds on hand, checks, and transporta-

tion books to Major *D. C. Shanks*, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 18th Infantry), Acting Assistant Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence, for the muster out of Virginia volunteers.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date:

Captain *Ira B. Ladd*, assistant surgeon, 7th California Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Alfred Luery*, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Cary L. Fulton*, 3d Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

24. The leave of absence granted Captain *James T. Kerr*, 17th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 104, September 27, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is changed to leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability.

25. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Samuel A. Martin*, 1st Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 2, Headquarters U. S. troops in Puerto Rico, is extended on account of sickness until the date of the muster out of his regiment.

26. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank A. Vincent*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 126, August 28, 1898, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

27. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Richings J. Shand*, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, September 25, 1898, Rio Piedras, Porto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John F. Puge*, Troop D, 1st U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, now in New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date August 7, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

29. The leave of absence granted Captain *E. D. Pusey*, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 58, September 1, 1898, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is extended to include October 15, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Thomas T. Knox*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, will proceed to Fort Riley, Kansas, on official business, and on the completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. The leave of absence heretofore granted Major General *J. Warren Keifer*, U. S. Volunteers, is extended eight days.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journeys from New York City to Montauk Point, New York, made under telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, dated September 22, 1898, by the following-named officers, are approved as having been necessary for the public service:

Major *William C. Borden*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Barnard E. Baker*, U. S. Army;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. P. Jackson*, U. S. Army;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis M. C. Usher*, U. S. Army.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major General *Francis V. Greene*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 7th Army Corps, for assignment to the command of a division in that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *George W. Goode*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 84, September 8, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. P. Lawrence*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Nashville to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding officer of that camp for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. Under instructions from the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring board is appointed by the Secretary of War, to meet at the earliest practicable date, at the call of the president thereof, at Springfield Armory, Springfield, Massachusetts, for the

examination of Major *William H. Rexford*, paymaster, National Armory (Captain, Ordnance Storekeeper, U. S. Army).

Detail for the board.

Lieutenant Colonel *Isaac Arnold, jr.*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Major *James W. Reilly*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Major *Ezra Woodruff*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *Ogden Rafferty*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Daniel M. Taylor*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Tracy C. Dickson*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, recorder.

Such journeys as the officers named may be required to make in attending the meetings of the board and in rejoining their proper stations on its adjournment are necessary for the public service.

37. Under instructions from the President, Major *William H. Rexford*, paymaster, National Armory (Captain, Ordnance Storekeeper, U. S. Army), is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Isaac Arnold, jr.*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board, appointed to meet at Springfield Armory, Massachusetts, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board.

38. By direction of the President, Captain *J. Edward Farnum*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, his services being no longer needed. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Corps of Engineers are made:

Captain *Charles H. McKinstry* will proceed from New York City, New York, not later than October 24, 1898, to Key West, Florida, and resume his station;

Second Lieutenant *John C. Oakes* is relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Captain *William E. Craighill*, and will proceed to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School;

Additional 2d Lieutenant *Earl I. Brown* is relieved from

duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School, Willets Point, New York, and will proceed to and take station at Wilmington, North Carolina, and report in person to Captain *William E. Craighill* for duty under his immediate orders.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Joseph A. Gury*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 102, September 24, 1898, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

41. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *William B. McCloud*, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, September 25, 1898, Rio Piedras, Porto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Harrison J. Price*, 24th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Cincinnati, Ohio, and report in person to 1st Lieutenant *Harry R. Lee*, 6th U. S. Infantry, mustering officer, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary, and ordnance officer, in connection with muster out of service of the 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry and Troop H, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas W. Numan*, Troop I, 3d Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 37, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, as relates to Privates *William F. Jarvis*, *Albert C. Kennedy*, *Joel W. Rowan*, and *George F. Wright*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, "now at Huntsville, Alabama."

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 20th Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station:

Privates *Frank Alstott*, *Craig E. Lewis*, *Edward C. Olson*, and *Frank S. Waters*, Company B; Corporal *Robert J. Lamme*

and Private *Lawrence M. Provost*, Company I; Privates *Joseph S. Durkin* and *Lionel E. Watson*, Company L.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Miller*, Company C. 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Becker*, Company M, 5th U. S. Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Willard L. Vanness*, Privates *John G. Caterson* and *Hermann Wulf*, Battery L, 7th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *J. Adams Hayne* and *Joseph A. Bell*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, now at Lexington, Kentucky, are transferred to the 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Columbia, South Carolina, for assignment to a company and muster out with that regiment.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter H. Stix*, Hospital Corps, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas F. Kernan*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles A. Shower*, Troop K, 3d Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private

Thomas Williams, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barancas, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur Jones*, Troop K, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Tanner*, Company G, 16th Infantry, now on furlough at his home, Providence, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations this soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred L. Sprague*, Company F, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at Little Valley, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Presley Harris*, Troop M, 9th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lyons Morris*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Homer H. Heath*, *Arthur G. Hyde*, *Alpha O. Leonard*, *William Leming*, and *Harry E. McAfee*, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *John J. Weiss*, Montauk Point, New York;

Privates *Harry D. Crutcher* and *Levi C. Rucker*, Fort Sam Houston, Texas;

Privates *David M. Gardner*, *Justus E. W. Goslan*, and *Ralph A. Workman*, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia;

Private *Walter E. Griffin*, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Clarence M. Powell*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Fred Ritters*, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers of Commissary Sergeants are made:

Willis E. Morgan, now at Camp Black, New York, to Havana, Cuba. He will be sent to that place and will report upon his arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, Purchasing and Depot Commissary, for duty.

Charles A. Zimmerman, now at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, to Matanzas, Cuba. He will be sent to that place and will report upon his arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, Purchasing and Depot Commissary, for duty.

John B. Wilson, now at Montauk Point, New York, to Cienfuegos, Cuba. He will be sent to that place and will report upon his arrival to Captain *Eben B. Fenton*, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, Purchasing and Depot Commissary, for duty.

William Kenkle, now at Fort Warren, Massachusetts, to Jibara, Cuba. He will be sent to that place and will report upon his arrival to Captain *Peter C. Deming*, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, Purchasing and Depot Commissary, for duty.

George Stone, now at Sheridans Point, Virginia, to Neuvidas, Cuba. He will be sent to that place and will report upon his arrival to Major *Henry Page*, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, Purchasing and Depot Commissary, for duty.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

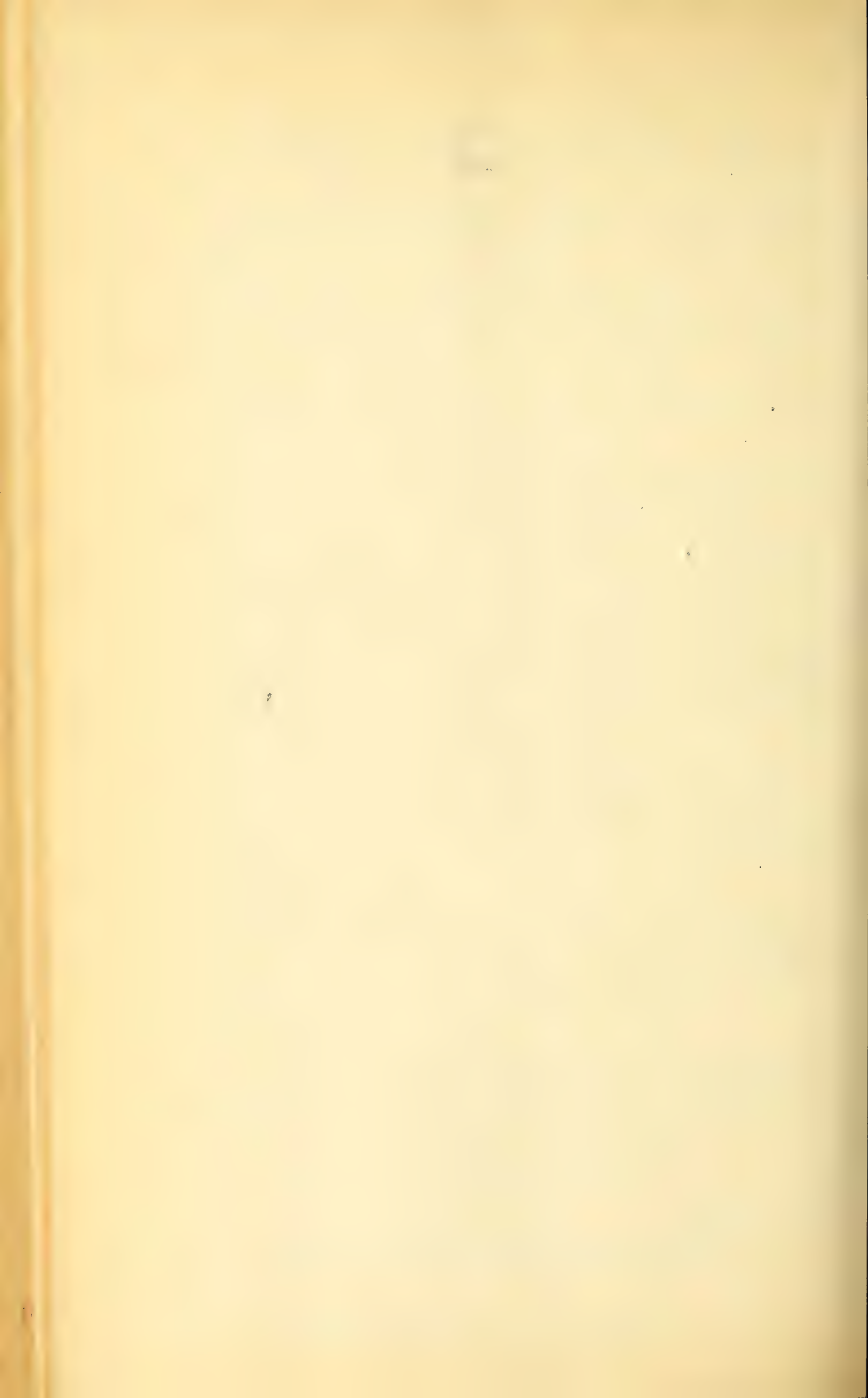
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SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 241. }

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 12, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Walter G. Cooper*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now on furlough at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, will report on or about the expiration of his furlough, October 18, 1898, to the commanding officer of that post for duty as telegraph operator.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *I. N. Selph*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now supposed to be at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, will, upon being relieved by Sergeant *Cooper*, be sent to Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory. He will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that post for duty in the military telegraph office there.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Anthony Coyle*, Company L, 11th Infantry, now in Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin M. Lawton*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 30, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Paul D. Beckler*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Ernest Cooper*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

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7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *W. J. Randall*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, now at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William E. McCann, jr.*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. Corporal *Berry Harvey*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

The increased cost of subsistence will be charged against this soldier on the next muster and pay rolls of his troop.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred S. Northrup*, Troop H, 6th Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George L. Buist, jr.*, Hospital Corps, now at Montauk Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter H. Vilas*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. Price*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on duty at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Willis*, Ambulance Company, 1st Division, 3d Army

Corps, now supposed to be at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *George N. Edwards*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Camp Wikoff, New York, will be sent to San Francisco, California. He will report upon his arrival there to Lieutenant Colonel *Frank Greene*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, signal officer, Department of California, for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert A. Whitford*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, now at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named privates of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post:

David J. Alexander, Henry Bodensab, Edward Craig, Samuel Feldman, William L. Fodder, Alexander Gignac, Edgar M. Eshelman, Arthur B. Harris, George W. Hewitt, Thomas L. Horner, Frank J. Isherwood, Elbery N. Johnson, James S. Lowe, Thomas R. Malhan, George A. Menard, George W. Quigley, Walter Weishampel, Herbert G. Whitney.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *O. S. Wood*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Athens, Ohio, to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the commanding officer of that camp for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *John S. Witcher*, paymaster, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 114, September 16, 1898, Department of the Columbia, is extended two months on account of sickness.

20. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas W. Connell*, 9th U. S. Infantry, in Special Or-

ders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

21. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Nat. P. Phister*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 97, September 20, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

22. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Russell C. Langdon*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 89, September 13, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Arthur Thayer*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, and 1st Lieutenant *George H. Cameron*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to West Point, New York, and report in person for duty to the Superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John H. Stone*, assistant surgeon, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, *vice* 1st Lieutenant *William E. Richards*, assistant surgeon, who is hereby relieved.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William B. Davis*, surgeon, U. S. Army, commanding U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, is relieved from all duty at Fort Myer, Virginia, other than in command of the U. S. General Hospital.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *George W. Pattison*, U. S. Army, in addition to his duties at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, will furnish such medical attendance as may be required by officers, enlisted men, and their families at that post.

27. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Samuel P. Lyon*, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 187, August 10, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

28. The leave of absence granted Captain *Fred W. Foster*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 87, August 23, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one day.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Robert H. Beckham*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 93, September 17, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

30. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect October 15, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Gates A. Johnson, jr.*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

31. By direction of the President, Major *William P. Duvall*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, having accepted, on July 20, 1898, an appointment as Lieutenant Colonel, Chief Ordnance Officer, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service as Major and Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, by the Secretary of War, to date July 19, 1898.

32. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Philip H. Ellis*, 8th Infantry.

33. The leave of absence granted Captain *James C. Bush*, 7th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 172, September 12, 1898, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, and extended in Special Orders, No. 211, September 15, 1898, Department of the East, is changed to leave of absence on account of sickness.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ezra Woodruff*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, will proceed to Fort Adams, Rhode Island, and report in person to the chief mustering officer for the State of Rhode Island for duty pertaining to the muster out of Rhode Island volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will proceed to Saint Asaph, Virginia, and carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. He is also appointed a special inspector, under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at that point, and on completion of that duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *William S. Valentine*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Humphrey Bate, jr.*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 92, August 31, 1898, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank A. Barton*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 88, September 12, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

39. Leave of absence for two months, to take effect when transfer and shipment of property under his charge is completed, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Amos B. Shattuck*, 25th U. S. Infantry.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Lawrence J. Hearn*, 21st U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Newark, New Jersey, and report in person to Brigadier General *John H. Patterson*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary, and ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of the volunteers of the State of New Jersey. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles H. Bridges*, 22d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 86, September 10, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

42. Leave of absence until November 1, 1898, is granted Captain *Levi P. Hunt*, 10th U. S. Cavalry.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James N. McLean*, assistant surgeon, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 7, 1898.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Charles C. Ballou*, 7th Illinois Volunteer Infantry (1st Lieu

tenant, 12th U. S. Infantry), in Special Orders, No. 102, 2d Army Corps, September 4, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

45. Leave of absence for two months, to take effect on or about October 15, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *John E. Woodward*, Quartermaster, 16th U. S. Infantry.

46. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles L. Beckurts*, 6th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 22, current series, 1st Division, 5th Army Corps, is extended to include September 27, 1898, on account of sickness.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles K. Winne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will proceed to Omaha, Nebraska, and report in person to the chief mustering officer for the State of Nebraska for duty pertaining to the muster out of Nebraska volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Joseph M. Heller*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and report in person to the commanding officer, 3d U. S. Cavalry, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George W. Burr*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Watervliet Arsenal, New York, to West Point, New York, and report in person to the Superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy, for special medical treatment at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edwin P. Andrus*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, will, in addition to his duties as mustering officer, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, act as special inspector of unserviceable Quartermaster's property turned in to 1st Lieutenant *Vernon A. Caldwell*, 25th U. S. Infantry, by the 1st Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

51. Captain *Charles D. Parkhurst*, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at New London, Connecticut, will proceed to join his battery at Huntsville, Alabama. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles E. Stearns*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 20, 1898.

53. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *C. H. R. Woodward*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 102, September 7, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

54. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *James W. Clendenin*, 6th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, is extended until the date of the muster out of the regiment, on account of sickness.

55. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *James C. Bush*, 7th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 211, September 15, 1898, Department of the East, is further extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station:

COMPANY "A."

Sergeant *Thomas T. Cushing*, Corporals *George Neyer*, *Harry J. Greenberg*, *Hugo Sohmer*, Privates *Herbert A. Jackson*, *Haywood F. Norton*, *Milton I. Williams*, *Burtis S. Osborne*.

COMPANY "B."

Sergeants *William Kummer*, *Otto F. Hagen*, Corporals *George S. Fowler*, *Jesse E. Brumaghine*, Privates *Charles R. Brown*, *Thomas M. McCarthy*.

COMPANY "C."

Sergeants *William J. Irving*, *Frederick Neurmann*, Corporals *Reuben K. Way*, *Joseph Wiesner*, Privates *John Somerindyke*, *William A. Bondon*, *Oliver L. Locke*, *James W. Reilly*, *Henry C. Frey*, *John C. Young*.

COMPANY "D."

Corporal *Gaspar C. Wiseman*, Musician *Albert Wenz*, Privates *Charles B. Campbell*, *James S. Wilson*, *Marion Ducont*.

COMPANY "E."

Sergeants *J. W. Boerckel, J. F. Place*, Corporals *E. V. Fox, John R. Wilson, Charles S. Donnelly*, Privates *Francis J. Knapp, Isidor Boyer, John N. Mills, F. N. Outten, Herman Yackel, J. M. Drummond, Edward Nan*.

COMPANY "F."

Sergeant *James S. Douglass*, Privates *William Pheifer, Herman Heydtmann, Joseph E. Kearns*.

COMPANY "G."

Sergeants *Edward L. Martin, John Kelly*, Corporals *Egbert W. Springsteen, William B. Kelly*, Privates *William Phipps, William Bagley, Patrick J. Walsh, James L. Cornell, John T. Kenney, Ferdinand Voges, James H. Kenney*.

COMPANY "H."

Quartermaster Sergeant *Charles S. Hall*.

COMPANY "I."

Sergeant *Richard H. Ketcham*, Corporal *Peter Horan*, Privates *John Toomey, Cornelius Considine, James B. Gillen*.

COMPANY "K."

Quartermaster Sergeant *Silas H. Moore*, Corporal *Otto S. Forster*, Privates *Henry F. Brockman, David Pell*.

COMPANY "L."

Privates *Milton L. Dixon, Albert Maule, James L. Murray*.

COMPANY "M."

Sergeant *Walter S. Barrett*, Musician *George W. Johnston*, Privates *John B. Dickinson, Thomas H. Kavanagh, Charles W. Miers, and Samuel Schmidt*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

57. Leave of absence for four months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Montgomery D. Parker*, 7th U. S. Cavalry.

58. Leave of absence for two months is granted 2d Lieutenant *Benjamin T. Simmons*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeants *J. J. Kane*, 15th Company; *Earl T. Dabb*, 11th Company; Corporal *William B. Morrison*, 13th Company; Privates *H. H. Perrine*, 13th Company, and *Peter J. Delaney*, — Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *Charles A. Buckee*, Company E, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Herman L. Spahr*, Company C, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 81, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Robert L. Carter*, Company F, 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read "Private *Robert L. Carter*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry."

62. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas R. Sullivan*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War on tender of resignation, to take effect October 30, 1898.

63. By direction of the President, Captain *John A. Laird*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

64. The leave of absence heretofore granted Major *Richard H. Savage*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is extended one month.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *J. W.*

Flanagan, Company K, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Charles W. Hamilton*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *John W. Fouke*, Company K, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Chief Musician *Charles M. Thompson*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Thomas McVey*, Company G, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Everett M. Sweeley*, Company H, 52d Iowa Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *R. von Dannenberg*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles S. Cabot*, Company H, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George M. Cooper*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John J. Colleton*, Company A, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 23, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First Sergeant *George R. Byrum*, Company L, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John D. Shea*, Company C, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 114, Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Robert R. Crook*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, is revoked.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James O. Curtis*, Company B, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

72. By direction of the President, the following-named officers of the 9th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect October 15, 1898:

First Lieutenant *Nelson A. Smiley*;

First Lieutenant *Charles W. Fillmore*;

Second Lieutenant *Philip Philipson*;

Second Lieutenant *John W. Butler*;

Second Lieutenant *Arthur J. Petivan*;

Second Lieutenant *Olive S. Duncan*.

73. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas F. Loudon*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

74. Leave of absence for one month, from October 6, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert M. Ritchie*, 1st Illinois Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

75. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Francis J. Cronin*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry,

in Special Orders, No. 228, paragraph 37, September 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

76. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Burr J. Bostwick*, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 16, September 28, 1898, Rio Piedras, Porto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Ulysses G. Lyons*, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles F. Beck*, Adjutant, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alvord Cederwald*, General Mounted Service, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 7, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Chaplain *Hugh W. Todd*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 1, 1898;

First Lieutenant *J. P. Young*, assistant surgeon, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 15, 1898.

80. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Fred L. Thatcher*, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *B. H. Kittrell*, assistant surgeon, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *William F. Carey*, Quartermaster, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Charles Griffith Moses*, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Mitchell Thompson*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Clarence A. Sinclair*, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged as such, to take effect September 26, 1898, on tender of resignation, he having accepted an appointment as Major, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, September 27, 1898.

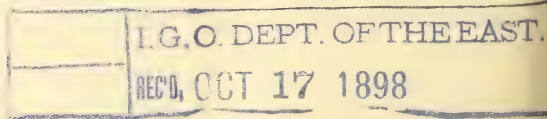
83. The leave of absence granted to 1st Lieutenant *Charles E. Dole*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in paragraph 11, Special Orders, No. 109, 7th Army Corps, September 23, 1898, is changed to sick leave, and is extended one month and fifteen days on account of sickness.

84. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis de Badai*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 10, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

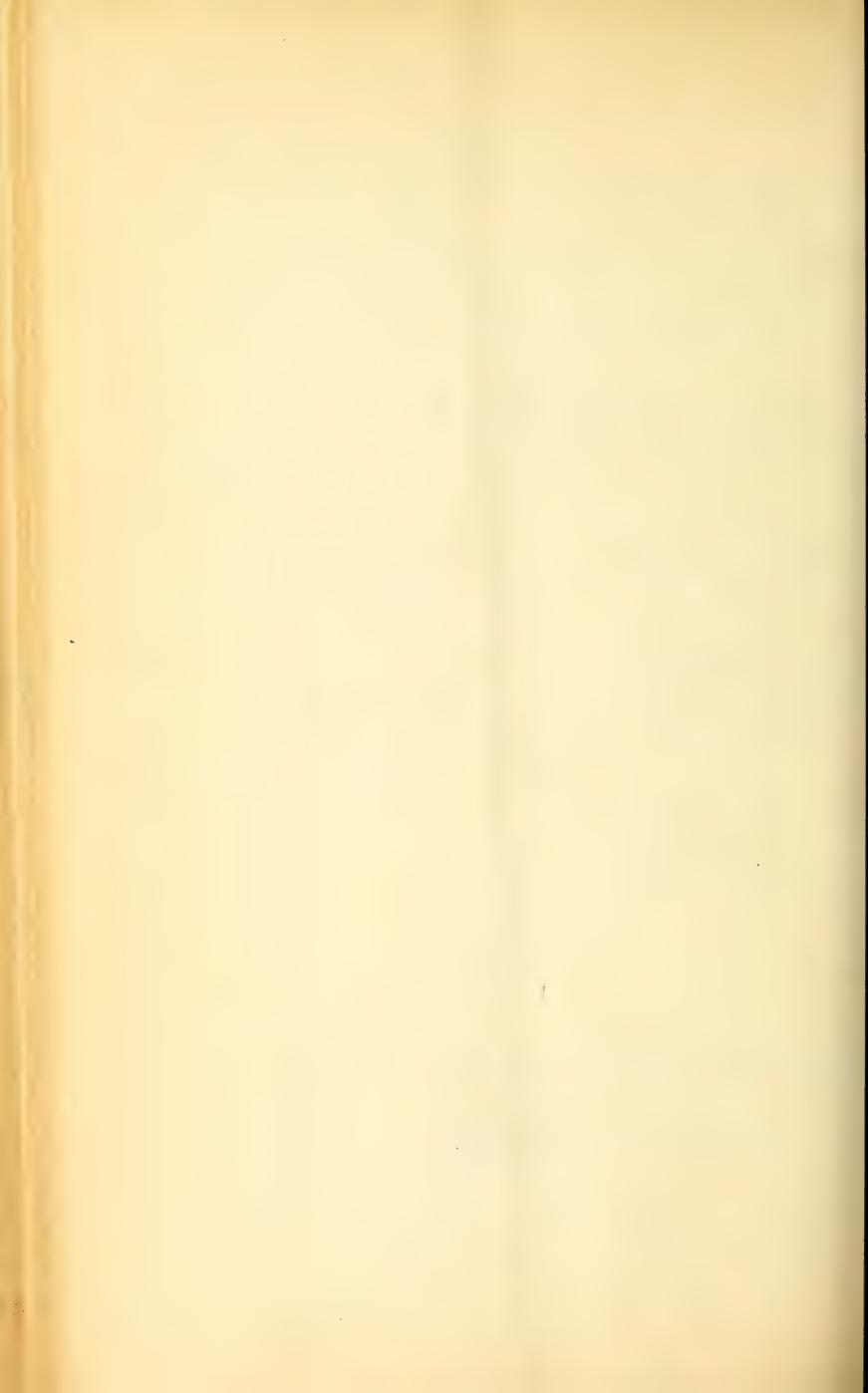
85. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *Leon Chapius*, Company A, 22d U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 10, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 242. }

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 13, 1898.

1. Private *William H. Fowlkes*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his battery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Private *Thomas O'Donnell*, Company G, 16th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough in this city, having relinquished the unexpired portion thereof, will be sent to the station of his company, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William F. Young*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 9, 1st Army Corps, is further extended ten days on account of sickness.

4. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edwin A. Wells*, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 11, September 30, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

5. Leave of absence for two months is granted 1st Lieutenant *Cassius C. Hogg*, assistant surgeon, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

6. The journey from Ocala to Tampa, Florida, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *A. L. Izlar*, U. S. Army, on August 16, 1898, under telegraphic instructions from the office of the Surgeon General of the Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Francis J. Ives*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Adjutant General

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Guy L. Edie*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 1st Army Corps, at Lexington, Kentucky, and will proceed to the Presidio of San Francisco, California, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of California. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles B. Ewing*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence is relieved from further duty in the field and at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and will proceed to Fort Brady, Michigan, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 157, July 6, 1898, from this office, as directs Acting Assistant Surgeon *John W. Wright*, U. S. Army, to proceed from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to Santiago de Cuba, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to Ponce, Porto Rico, and upon arrival there to report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Paul Shillock*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, on the expiration of his present leave of absence, is relieved from further duty in the field, and will proceed to Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. Private *Patrick S. Hynes*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company E, 17th Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Columbus Barracks, Ohio. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Helmuth G. Meyer*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home, 67 Cambridge avenue, Jersey City, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Gothard Colson* and 2d Class Privates *William J. Howey* and *Francis J. Norton*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Corporal *Lee Clause*, Troop M, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Julian T. Marlow*, Troop I, 9th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Du Chesne, Utah;

Private *Benjamin E. Childers*, Troop L, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John W. Belk*, Troop F, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James A. McVehil*, Battery L, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Alexander Bunce*, Battery G, 2d U. S. Artillery, Long Island Head, Massachusetts;

Privates *Charles J. Chambers* and *Harry E. McCarthy*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Albert Kreft*, Battery E, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Preble, Maine;

Private *Alfred Montenegro*, Company F, 11th U. S. Infantry, Porto Rico;

Private *Hervey J. Nay*, Company B, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Jacob Gillman*, Company K, 5th U. S. Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Privates *Edward Mallory* and *Frederick Squires*, Company L, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *James W. B. Mannion*, Company M, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Privates *J. D. Hemperly*, Company A, and *Charles A. Weasner*, Company L, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

15. The resignation of 2d Lieutenant *William S. Simpson*, 10th U. S. Infantry, has been accepted by the President, to take effect October 13, 1898.

16. Leave of absence for twenty days to take effect on or about October 16, 1898, is granted Captain *Robert L. Brown*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jesse C. Chance*, 13th U. S. Infantry, will report by telegraph to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer, for duty as assistant mustering officer.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on account of sickness granted Lieutenant Colonel *Ernest A. Garlington*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 231, September 30, 1898, from this office, is changed to an ordinary leave of absence.

19. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert J. Maxey*, 6th U. S. Infantry.

20. The ordinary leave of absence granted Captain *George W. McIver*, 7th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 84, September 8, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is changed to a leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability.

21. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *William F. Nesbitt*, 6th U. S. Infantry.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel M. Waterhouse*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed to Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, and report in person to Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer, for duty to supervise the physical examination of the 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry for muster out of service. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following privates of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at

the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Milo J. Bradley, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, Anniston, Alabama;

Fred W. Hander, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Charles E. Cavanagh, *George D. Twitchell*, and *Benjamin Longfellow*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Francis W. Bailey, *Clarence B. Gay*, *Arthur M. Kelly*, *Charles Paasch*, *George M. Schuman*, *James W. Wright*, and *Patrick H. Walsh*, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

John E. Daugherty, Fernandina, Florida;

Hiram E. Clement, *George Mantor*, *William J. Page*, Montauk Point, New York;

John A. Crout, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Albert H. Wilton and *Charles Potter*, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Rolland Z. Lovelace and *John J. O'Brien*, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky;

Theodore G. Luz and *Frederick W. Hedegard*, Hospital Ship "Relief," No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Sergeant *Aug. Schneider*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will report to Major *G. W. S. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, office Chief Signal Officer, War Department, in this city, for duty.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Albert H. Flether*, Company L, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John Newton*, 16th U. S. Infantry, now on sick leave of absence, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service and will proceed to Detroit, Michigan, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at San Francisco, California, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Lieutenant Colonel *Johnson V. D. Middleton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Major *David H. Kinzie*, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Captain *Charles B. Thompson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army;

Captain *Oscar F. Long*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army (Lieutenant Colonel and Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers);

Captain *Thomas U. Raymond*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *John A. Lockwood*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, recorder.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William H. Baldwin*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army (promoted from Captain and Commissary of Subsistence, subject to examination), Colonel and Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Johnson V. D. Middleton*, Deputy Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at San Francisco, California, by Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

29. The leave of absence granted Captain *George Dyer*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 221, paragraph 66, September 19, 1898, from this office, is extended one month.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers having tendered their resignations are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *A. J. Pedlar*, assistant surgeon, 1st Battalion, California Volunteer Heavy Artillery;

Captain *Raleigh C. Taylor*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the sta-

tions designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Martin F. Conroy*, Troop B, and *Charles E. Hoye*, Troop C, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Louis Lovas*, Troop B, 4th Cavalry, the Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *Charles S. Kaup*, Troop H, 4th Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Sergeant *Alexander Johnston*, Privates *William C. Baird* and *Paul A. McAuliffe*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Private *Fred B. Hefflinger*, Battery G, 4th Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Privates *Leo M. Derlin* and *Emmet M. McHale*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida;

Private *Peter Runyon*, Company H, 6th Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Privates *Stefan Cieslewicz* and *John R. Ruede*, Company H, 13th Infantry, Fort Porter, New York;

Privates *Julius Armstute* and *Edward A. Dehe*, Company B, 16th Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Charles Bennett*, Company H, *Frank M. Hackett* and *Albert R. Weaverling*, Company I, 17th Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Lun Kriner*, Company A, 21st Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named privates of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Henry J. Gassie, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Louis E. Willow and *Leonard K. Morse*, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Lettellier L. Buchanan, *Arthur T. Emery*, *Amedee B. Granger*, *James A. Jones*, and *Lewis T. Powers*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

John H. Harrington, Clayton R. Miller, and Francis P. Richards, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama;

John W. Harrison, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

William J. Lisle, Camp Merriam, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Charles W. Edgar, Rufus B. Riddle, and Harry C. Smith, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Darvin R. Williamson, Camp Wikoff, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 20th Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that regiment:

Privates *Edward Tevis, Henry E. Vert, Theodore Wiedling, and William White*, Company I; Privates *Jacob Boyd, John Crook, John Green, Frank Hangel, David S. Hortnett, Patrick Murphy, and Thomas M. Wickens*, Company K; Privates *J. T. Allan Barnard, George McFarlane, George Meinhardt, Joseph W. White, and Edward F. Webber*, Company L; Private *James W. Reeves*, Company M.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the posts designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William J. Anderson*, Battery D, 1st Artillery, Newnan, Georgia;

Privates *John Kelly, William Kirby, and Michael Mayer*, Battery A, 6th Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida;

Private *Ulmer L. Maloney*, Battery K, 7th Artillery, Fort Totten, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Victor Jack*, Troop E, 2d Cavalry, now on furlough at his home, No. 1609 Sheridan Drive, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Anthony Hanlon*, Battery F, 6th Artillery, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Y. Sanborn*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George R. Holmes*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, No. 1528 Sellers street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer, 2d Division Hospital, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry A. Cotton*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the University of Maryland, School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George B. Baskervill, jr.*, Company E, 12th Infantry, now supposed to be at his home, Somerville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas E. Crane*, Company A, 19th Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Dolan*, Battery G, 7th Artillery, now at Fort Warren, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United

States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry S. Smith*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, No. 4 Brimmer street, Boston, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the posts designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Sergeant *James Sullivan*, Troop L, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *George Douglas*, Battery I, 5th Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York;

Second-class Private *James Moore*, Ordnance Detachment, Benicia Arsenal, California.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 42, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, as relates to Sergeant *Harry C. Wheeler*, Troop H, 1st Cavalry, is revoked.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herbert H. Dyke*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 17, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Ordnance Sergeant *Richard Ulex* (appointed October 3, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Battery A, 5th Artillery), is amended to read "1st Sergeant, Light Battery F, 5th Artillery."

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named privates of the 20th Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that regiment:

William N. Merwin and Elmer Ware, Company G; De Witt C. Dey, Edmund B. Dey, Louis Donnelly, Barton W. Flowers, Edward Graybill, John Kalus, John H. McDaniels, Robert P. Roloff, William M. Shaw, and Shelby D. Pile, Company I; Francis L. Gehr, Company —.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Carl E. Uhle* and *Will F. Uhle*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Tilden J. Beck*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William E. Hamlin*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Infantry, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Francis A. Winter*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to New Haven, Connecticut, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the muster out of Connecticut volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *S. M. Long*, U. S. Army, now on duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, will proceed to New Haven, Connecticut, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the muster out of Connecticut volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 231, September 30, 1898, from this office, as designates Lexington, Kentucky, as an impor-

tant depot to which officers of the Subsistence Department are assignable to duty for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, and directs Major *Hugh J. Gallagher*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed to that place, with his authorized clerk, is revoked.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, under the provisions of an act of Congress approved July 7, 1898, for increasing the efficiency of the Subsistence Department, Augusta, Georgia, is designated as one of the important depots to which officers of that Department are assignable to duty for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, to take effect from this date, and Major *Hugh J. Gallagher*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at that depot, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. Major *Gallagher* will proceed with his authorized clerk to Augusta, Georgia, and enter upon the duty herein assigned him. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the President, Captain *Oliver E. Fox*, 6th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Roy B. Harper*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, will report by letter to Captain *Robert P. P. Wainright*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer for the State of Illinois, at Springfield, Illinois, for duty as his assistant.

57. By direction of the President, Major *Jabez N. Jackson*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 13, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *George H. Tuttle*, U. S. Army, is extended seven days.

59. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edgar A. Sirmyer*, 3d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 221,

September 19, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

60. The journey performed July 21, 1898, by 2d Lieutenant *Frederick M. Jones*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, from Playa del Este, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to Guanica, Porto Rico, under verbal instructions from the Major General Commanding the Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

61. The travel performed between September 13 and 23, 1898, from Ponce, Porto Rico, to New York City, *via* Santiago de Cuba, by Captain *Charles C. Clark*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, under the requirements of Special Orders, No. 53, September 2, 1898, Headquarters, U. S. troops, Porto Rico, is approved by the Secretary of War for mileage at the rate of four cents per mile, the same having been necessary for the public service.

62. The leave of absence granted Captain *James T. Kerr*, 17th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 104, September 27, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended seven days on account of sickness.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John C. Gilmore, jr.*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty with the 1st Division of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James W. Madara*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Thomas to Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and New York City, New York, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as may be communicated to him by the Quartermaster General of the Army, and upon the completion of this duty will re-

turn to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. Leave of absence for two months to take effect on or about November 1, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *George D. Guyer*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

67. Leave of absence for two months to take effect October 27, 1898, is granted Captain *Walter L. Finley*, 9th U. S. Cavalry.

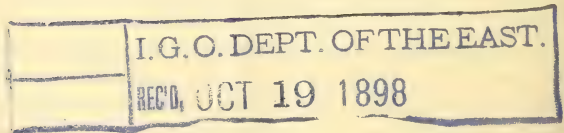
68. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *B. B. Lanier*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 40, October 6, 1898, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is extended seven days

69. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted Captain *Charles L. Hodges*, 25th U. S. Infantry.

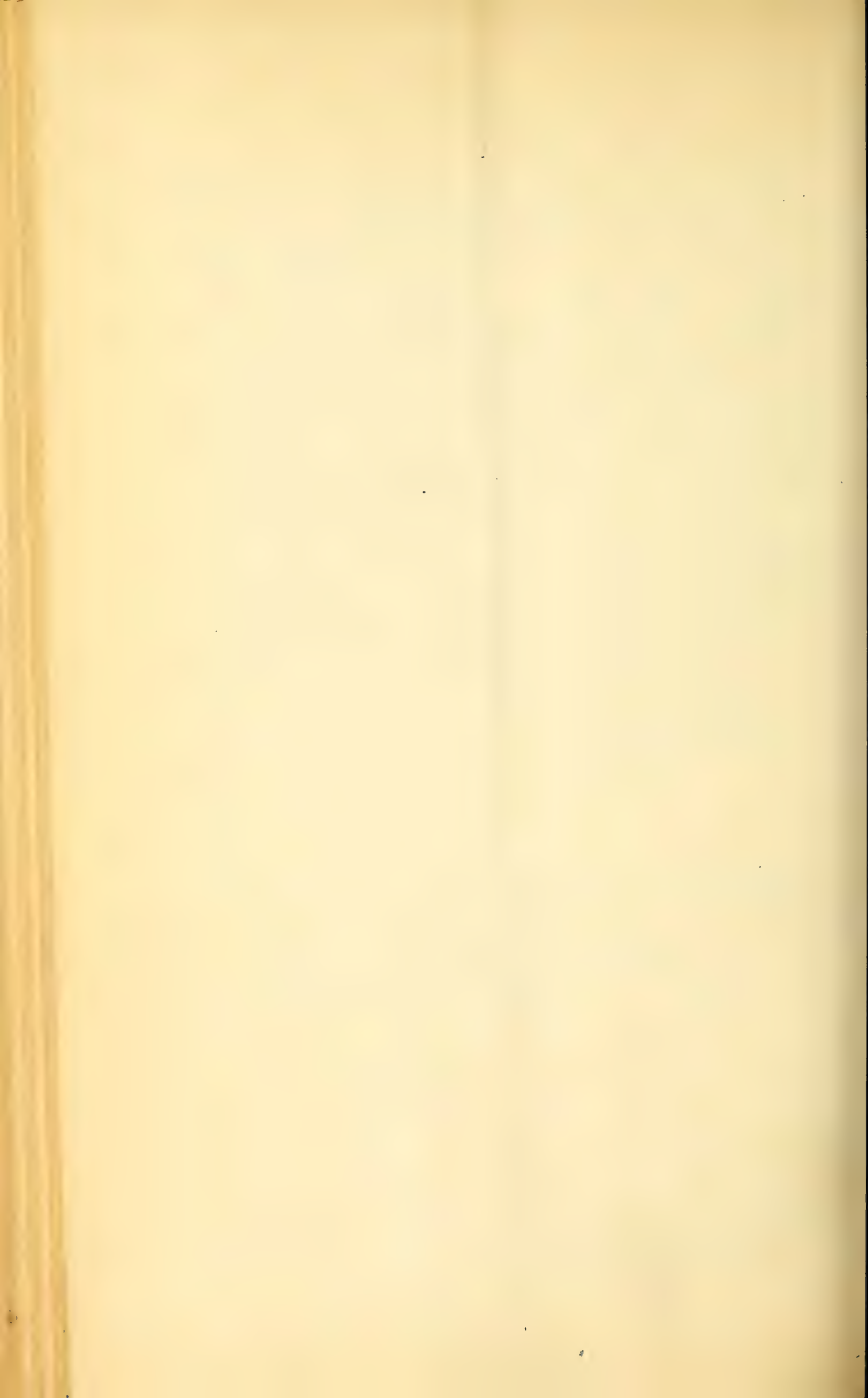
70. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Thomas B. Turney*, 10th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 223, September 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 243. } Washington, October 14, 1898.

1. Private *Frank Cotter*, Company M, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his regiment, Richmond, Virginia, and will upon arrival report to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of his company.

2. Private *Oliver Geigel*, Company A, 2d U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Anniston, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of the regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 66, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, relating to Lieutenant Colonel *John B. Bellinger*, Quartermaster's Department, is amended so as to direct him, on completion of his conference with the Quartermaster General of the Army, to proceed from this city to Mobile, Alabama, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station at Tampa, Florida. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward C. Ware*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, now in confinement at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of that post by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles D. Writesman*, Hospital Corps, now at Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

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6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Jeremiah F. Connolly*, *Edward J. Merriam*, *Edward A. Phillips*, *Christopher Stinger*, and *John T. Wilson*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Michael E. O'Brien*, Battery G, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *Saimon Shamponer*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Privates *William B. Donovan*, Troop E, and *Charles H. Stanley*, Troop K, 5th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Peter Van Giffen*, Company L, 19th U. S. Infantry, Porto Rico.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ernest L. Barrett*, Troop D, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Richard Lonsdale*, Battery G, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Long Island Head, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Norman D. Hepburn*, Troop C, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Robinson, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *William Clarke*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made;

Hospital Steward *John B. Copping*, now at Chickamauga Park, Georgia, to Fort Columbus, New York;

Hospital Steward *John B. Anderson*, now at Fort Columbus, New York (upon arrival of Steward *Copping*), to Chickamauga Park, Georgia.

The stewards thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated and will report upon their arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

12. Private *John Garry*, Battery B, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Hilton Head, South Carolina, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company B, 4th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Sheridan, Illinois. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. Private *Andrew Hartwood*, Company B, 25th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, is, upon his own application, transferred to the Band, 10th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that organization, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

14. Private *James Murrin*, Company B, 10th U. S. Infantry, now in confinement at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, who deserted February 14, 1898, and surrendered April 23, 1898, is restored to duty without trial upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. He will be sent to the headquarters of his regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty with his company.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Drummond*, Troop L, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at his home, Granite, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Woodrow Lippincott*, Hospital Corps, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ira B. Phillips*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Constitution, New Hampshire, is detailed as acting hospital steward, to date from September 16, 1898, and assigned to duty at that post.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 60, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Thomas Billings*, Hospital Corps, is revoked.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry W. Ritter*, Hospital Corps, Fort Greble, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 191, August 15, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, in the case of Sergeant *William M. Brown*, Company C, 2d U. S. Infantry, is amended to read, "will be discharged the service of the United States, to date August 11, 1898, to accept commission in the 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry."

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James W. Johnson*, Company E, 5th U. S. Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States to date August 19, 1898, by the commanding officer of his company, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *William Thornton*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be sent to Price, Utah, to assume charge of the U. S. Military Telegraph office at that point. He will report by letter upon his arrival to the Signal Officer, Department of the Colorado.

23. Private *Louis Linderman*, Company G, 20th Infantry, now supposed to be at his home, 4463 Atlantic street, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so

much of paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Commissary Sergeant *James F. Wood* (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant Major, 3d Cavalry), is amended to read "*James F. Woods*, Sergeant Major, 3d Artillery."

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Commissary Sergeant *Fred P. Bliss* (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery D, 5th Artillery), is amended to read "Battery B, 5th Artillery."

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Archibald M. Wilkins*, Hospital Corps, now at Detention Hospital, Camp Wikoff, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that camp.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 25, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Howard B. Carey*, Company G, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John A. Peters*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 27, Special Orders, No. 219, September 16, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Oscar Gammage*, Hospital Corps, is revoked.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as relates to Corporal *Philip J. Towsky*, Troop A, 6th Cavalry, is revoked.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *P. W. Hickman*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert W. Durden*, Troop H, 1st Cavalry, now supposed to be at his home, Cowart, Georgia, will be discharged the serv-

ice of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. Private *Edgar F. Holmes*, Troop K, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the 16th U. S. Infantry at that station. He will report to the commanding officer of the regiment to which he is transferred for assignment to a company.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Frederick G. Field*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as directs Commissary Sergeant *Henry A. Hoskins* (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Company C, 11th Infantry), to be sent to Fort Hamilton, New York, is amended to read, "will be sent to Fort Schuyler, New York."

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as directs Commissary Sergeant *George Geiling* (appointed October 1, 1898, from Sergeant Battery A, 5th Artillery), to be sent to Fort Schuyler, New York, is amended to read, will report to the commanding officer at "Fort Hamilton," New York, for duty.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Titus*, Band, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Hogan*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Frank Stephenson*, now at Fort Brown, Texas, will be sent to Fort Meade, South Dakota. He will report

upon arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Class Sergeant *Harry A. Swigert*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will report for special duty to Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, in connection with the muster out of the 5th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, the Sergeant to take station in Washington, District of Columbia, as of October 4, 1898.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Matthew C. Butler, jr.*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the 2d Army Corps, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *Matthew C. Butler*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Rowland R. Robinson*, assistant surgeon, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 21, 1898.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Herman Werner*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, *Clifford W. Fuller* is honorably mustered out of the service as 1st Lieutenant, 10th Ohio Volunteers, to take effect July 6, 1898, by reason of his promotion and muster in as Captain in the same regiment, July 7, 1898.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edwin R. Butler*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged as 2d Lieutenant, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, to take effect July 24, 1898, by reason of his acceptance on July 25, 1898, of appointment as Captain and Assistant Quartermaster.

46. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles E. Gilbert*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, August 20, 1898, Camp Northen, Griffin, Georgia, is extended to September 15, 1898, on account of sickness.

47. Leaves of absence from October 3 to 13, 1898, are granted the following-named officers:

Captain *Frederick A. Bickel*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles A. Fries*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *T. H. Landor*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Sternberg Hospital, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, and will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. The travel performed between July 21 and 22, 1898, from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Tampa, Florida, by Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. M. Perkins*, U. S. Army, under instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick P. Reynolds*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. C. Douglas*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. Leave of absence for ten days is granted 2d Lieutenant *Alfred T. Smith*, 12th U. S. Infantry.

53. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Major *Barrington K. West*, Subsistence Department.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Overton C. Pierce*, Company H, 5th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 16, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ivan H. Abrams*, Battery K, 6th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 11, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Edmund T. Paterson*, Battery K, 6th Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 11, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the President, Major *Edward E. Robbins*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 14, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Post Chaplain *Halsey C. Gavitt*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 88, September 12, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *William H. Thrift*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 91, September 15, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Malvern-Hill Barnum*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now on leave of absence, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service and will proceed to Chattanooga, Tennessee, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George W. Goode*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to Major *Henry R. Brinkerhoff*, 3d U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary and Ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of volunteers of the State of

Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *George Vidmer*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 9, August 24, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, and extended in Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, from this office, is changed to leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability.

63. The ordinary leave of absence granted Major *William B. Banister*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is changed to leave of absence on account of sickness.

64. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *William E. P. French*, 3d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

65. The leave of absence granted Major *Alfred C. Markley*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 95, September 19, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month and ten days.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Charles C. Clark*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, in Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *J. F. Reynolds Landis*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, will, upon expiration of his present sick leave of absence, report in person to Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer at Philadelphia, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary and Ordnance officer in connection with the muster out of service of Pennsylvania volunteers.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Louis A. Moloney*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Cincinnati, Ohio, to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on the first transport sailing for Santiago, Cuba, and upon arrival there will report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Aaron H.*

Appel, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Porter, New York, and from duty in the field with the 7th Army Corps, and will proceed to Fort Grant, Arizona, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank McNally*, Troop D, 5th Cavalry, is revoked.

71. Private *Frank McNally*, Troop D, 5th Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Light Battery F, 2d Artillery, at that station.

72. The leave of absence granted Captain *H. E. Goetz*, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 28, October 2, 1898, 3d Army Corps, is extended ten days.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William F. Tucker*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Atlanta, Georgia, and will proceed to and take station at Chicago, Illinois, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the Lakes, and by letter to the Commanding General of that Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. First Lieutenant *Henry L. Kinnison*, 25th U. S. Infantry, now in U. S. General Hospital at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will proceed to join his company, and he is authorized to delay three days *en route*. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Samuel B. Arnold*, 1st Cavalry, aid-de-camp. in Special Orders, No. 111, September 26, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended ten days.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frank D. Bain*, surgeon, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from duty with the Hospital Corps in Porto Rico and will proceed without delay to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Vernon J. Hopper*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the

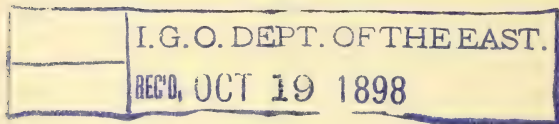
commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles P. Breese*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 13, September 25, 1898, headquarters U. S. troops, Puerto Rico, is extended to November 1, 1898.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *Raphael A. Edmonston* and *W. H. Prescott*, U. S. Army, are relieved from duty at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 244. } Washington, October 15, 1898.

1. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles P. Breese*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War on tender of resignation, to take effect November 1, 1898.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major General *Francis V. Greene*, U. S. Volunteers, now in this city, is assigned to the 7th Army Corps, and will at once proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report for duty therewith. In the absence of Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, U. S. Volunteers, General *Greene* will assume temporary command of the corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry B. Stotter*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas Swobe*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster at that place, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quartermaster's steamer "Berlin," to relieve Captain *William M. Coulling*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties.

Captain *Coulling*, upon being thus relieved, will report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster, New York City, for assignment to duty pertaining to the refitting of Quartermaster's transports.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel D. Rockenbach*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will proceed as soon as able to travel to Fort Assinniboine, Montana, for the purpose of settling his accounts as Commissary at that post, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Inspector General

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Sergeant *John E. Dalby*, Troop D, to date August 2, 1898;
Sergeant Major *George J. Sperry*, to date August 18, 1898;
First Sergeants *Chris C. Taylor*, Troop B, and *Charles E. McCullough*, Troop L, to date August 18, 1898.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September —, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Allan B. Wilson*, Company G, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 1, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *John V. Foster*, 3d Division Ambulance Corps, to Company C, 5th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Richard M. Thomas*, Company M, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Herbert C. Hendershott*, Company E, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Harry K. Gibson*, *Benjamin C. Corner*, Company E; *E. B. Griffin*, *A. A. Bridges*, *R. H. Hopkins*, Company G;

Edward H. Church, Company I, and *Leslie A. Wright*, Company K, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Charles H. Watson*, Company A, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Albert Hawkins*, *George N. Beach*, *John P. Griggs*, Troop C, and *James M. Campbell*, Troop K, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Quartermaster Sergeant *Howard Winchester*, Company D, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *L. M. Napier*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Lee Mitchell*, Sergeant *H. W. Mayo*, Corporals *Henry Zimmerman*, *Frank W. Blackmond*, and Private *William N. Chadwick*, Company A, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeants *Marion Sneed*, *Lee W. Branch*, *Charles F. Cater*, and *Pickney Steiner*, Company —, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Corporal *Percy H. Tittle*, Company M, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles G. Aitkens*, Company A, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Corporal *William J. M. Turrell*, Company E, 7th Infantry, is revoked.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles S. Howard*, Troop K, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Theodore C. Bennett*, Troop G, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Franklin E. Mann*, Company D, 11th Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Allen B. Smythe*, Company E, 12th Infantry, now supposed to be at his home, Haverford, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. Private *George B. Houston*, Company G, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at his home, No. 6 South street court, Lynn, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. Private *Harry G. Sovacool*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Camp Bushnell, Columbus, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Clapp*, Company L, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at his home, No. 83 Milk street, Westborough, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter J. Umdenstock*, Troop M, 2d Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Antoine J. Prunier*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Edward Morrissey* and *John Baush*, Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Totten, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph W. Mullin*, Troop D, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Huston A. Wright*, General Service, will be discharged the service of the United States to date September 7, 1898, by the recruiting officer, corner of Third and Olive streets, St. Louis, Missouri. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John T. MacEwen*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *Charles M. Stanisfer*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *William S. Crowell*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Adam Affolter*, Hospital Corps, Detention Hospital, Montauk Point, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert E. Dillon*, Company —, 5th U. S. Infantry, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Calvin E. Stine*, Company G, 21st Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *William Collins*, 15th Infantry, now at recruiting station, corner 3d and Olive streets, St. Louis, Missouri, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the regimental recruiting officer at that station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles L. F. Paull*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, now at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herbert S. Harris*, Hospital Corps, now on sick furlough at the Homeopathic Hospital, Rochester, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding general of Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. Private *Bruce Chenoweth*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Company, Porto Rico, is transferred to the 5th Illinois Volunteer Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Springfield, Illinois, for assignment to a company, and muster out with said regiment.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 84, Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank Stokes*, Hospital Corps, is revoked.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Stokes*, Hospital Corps, now a patient at St. Mary's Hospital, New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by Major *Daniel M. Appel*, surgeon, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 51, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *Thomas E. Mansfield*, Light Battery A, 2d Artillery, is revoked.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Reuben W. Boone*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, now at Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. Corporal *William J. Mester*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Battery E, 6th Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harvey Brewer*, Company M, 5th Infantry, Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *George K. Swindall*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, Newnan, Georgia;

Private *Charles Machu*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, Ardmore, Indian Territory;

Private *Harley Fletcher*, Battery H, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Louis C. Wise*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *John H. Love*, Battery B, 3d U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Privates *Louis Auken* and *Joseph McDonald*, Battery M, 4th U. S. Artillery, Battery Point, Delaware;

Private *Edward Horton*, Battery H, 6th Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *John A. McCormack*, Battery F, 7th Artillery, Grovers Cliff, Massachusetts;

Privates *Walter C. Shekell*, Company B, and *Charles Moore*, Company E, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *George F. McAghon*, Company D, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William T. Greenly*, Company F, 10th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Frank H. Desmond* and *George P. Niemann*, Company L, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Privates *John T. Kalina*, Company C, *Orville H. Tousey*, Company H, and *John F. Jelley*, Company I, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Samuel E. Downs*, Company —, 17th U. S. Infantry, attached to Company E, 19th U. S. Infantry, camp near Ponce, Porto Rico;

Privates *Oney Edeline*, *John Lipscome*, *Charles Thomas Stewart*, *Harris E. Wright*, Company B, and *Fred Wright*, Company H, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *John A. Fleury*, Company A, and *William O. Harper*, Company L, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, Hospital Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *James G. Beamsdifer*, *William M. Pierce*, *William C. Faires*, *Anthony W. Snyder*, *John R. Snyder*, and *John M. Kennedy*, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Privates *John W. Parham* and *Fred C. Rowell*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Privates *William A. S. Perkins* and *Benjamin F. O'Dell*, Montauk Point, New York;

Acting Hospital Steward *Ferdinand C. Pauley* and Private *Max Schwartz*, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *William H. Powers* and *Francis W. Sanders*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *James S. Akehurst*, *Milton S. Fall*, and *Charles A. Peterson*, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Private *Walter F. Semon*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *James Anderson*, Hospital Train, Fernandina, Florida;

Private *Henry D. Webb*, with 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Acting Hospital Steward *Frederick C. Bennett*, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Joseph H. Robinson*, Fort Bliss, Texas;

Acting Hospital Steward *Peer P. Johnson*, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Henry K. Houston*, Company K, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *James T. Lewis*, Company A, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Thomas Houp*, Company B, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Harry A. Lauter*, Company M, and Private *James Stewart*, Company G, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *D. C. Mangum*, Band, *John A. Green*, Company D, and *John B. Alexander*, Company L, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *E. A. Hardwick*, Company I, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lucius M. Phelps*, Company A, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Walter Freeman*, Company G, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank B. Edison*, Company E, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William Hornbeak*, Company F, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Clifford L. Allen*, Company F, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Joseph I. Friedenbergl*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Lawrence Stenger* and *J. D. Whitfield*, Company E; Private *J. W. Kerr*, Company I; 1st Sergeant *E. M. Fowler* and Private *Charles T. Green*, Company K; Private *M. A. Fitch*, Company L, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. Leave of absence for one month from October 1, 1898, on account of sickness is granted Captain *Thomas B. Haughawout*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

53. Leave of absence for two months from October 6, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *George H. Shelton*, 11th Infantry.

54. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *William J. Turner*, 2d Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

55. The leave of absence granted Captain *George Bell, jr.*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 87, September 11, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. V. Hamilton*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 89, September 13, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

57. Leave of absence for four months is granted Captain *Leven C. Allen*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

58. Leave of absence for four months is granted Major *Henry H. Humphreys*, 12th U. S. Infantry.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Herbert S. Brussell*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *R. L. Morris*, Company B, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Thompson W. Reel* and *M. G. Allen*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John W. Fraber*, Company D, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Robert J. MacBride, jr.*, Company A, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Captain *John C. Breckinridge*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

63. The leave of absence granted Captain *John J. Crittenden*, 22d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

64. The leave of absence granted Captain *Jonas A. Emery*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

65. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *John G. Workizer*, 19th U. S. Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

66. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles B. Schofield*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 105, September 28, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Post Chaplain *Sewell N. Pilchard*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 94, September 16, 1898, Department of the Colorado, is extended twenty-five days.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Corporal *Alfred E. Kleemann* and Private *De Witt C. Fenstermaker*, Company A, 2d Volunteer Engineers, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates, and will report to Captain *A. Higgins*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty at the above-named camp.

69. The journey performed by Major *Louis L. Seaman*, surgeon, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, from New York City to Washington, District of Columbia, in pursuance of telegraphic orders from this office dated October 14, 1898, on official business, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

70. Major *Louis L. Seaman*, surgeon, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having performed the duty on which he was ordered to this city, by orders from this office dated October 14, 1898, will proceed to New York City and there await the arrival of his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the President, the following-named officers of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps are honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 16, 1898, their services being no longer required:

Captain *Charles T. McIntire*;

Captain *Robert S. Thompson*;

First Lieutenant *Williamson S. Wright*;

First Lieutenant *Rollo B. Oglesbee*;

Second Lieutenant *Meldrum Gray*;

Second Lieutenant *Merchant H. Baldwin*.

The officers named will proceed to their homes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Frank B. Watson*, 19th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty at Fort Brady, Michigan, and will proceed to Porto Rico and join his regiment there. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date by the President of Major General *Jacob F. Kent*, U. S. Volunteers, as Brigadier General, U. S. Army, only, at his own request, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 30, 1882, he having served more than forty years, is announced.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Albert D. Niskern*, Subsistence Department, will proceed from Havana to Santiago, Cuba, and relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Henry B. Osgood*, Subsistence Department, of his duties at that place. Lieutenant Colonel *Osgood*, on being thus relieved, will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Richard W. Johnson*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, and on the expiration of his present leave of absence will proceed to Chicago, Illinois, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes, for duty as attending surgeon and examiner of recruits at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *O. C. Heise*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the President, the following-named medical officers are honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 31, 1898, their services being no longer required:

Lieutenant Colonel *Rush Huidekoper*, chief surgeon of Volunteers;

Major *Thomas Earle Evins*, chief surgeon of Volunteers.

The officers named will proceed to their homes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the President, the following-named medical officers are honorably discharged from the volunteer army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 31, 1898:

Lieutenant Colonel *Benjamin F. Pope* (Major and surgeon, U. S. Army), as chief surgeon of Volunteers, only;

Major *William H. Arthur* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as chief surgeon of Volunteers, only.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, is amended to direct that Captain *John Newton*, 16th U. S. Infantry, proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Detroit, Michigan, by way of Fort Sherman, Idaho. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. The following transfers are made in the 5th Cavalry, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Stephen H. Elliott*, from Troop G to Troop L;

First Lieutenant *Samuel G. Jones, jr.*, from Troop L to Troop G.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *John D. Barrette*, 3d U. S. Artillery, is amended to read, "1st Lieutenant *John D. Barrette*, 7th U. S. Artillery."

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert W. Guiler*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James E. Calhoun*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, and 2d Lieutenant *Reon Barnes, jr.*, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry,

aids, are relieved from further duty with the 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, and will proceed from Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *Matthew C. Butler*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, will make not to exceed three visits during the months of October, November, and December, 1898, to each of the points hereinafter designated on official business connected with the inspection of powder in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and upon the completion thereof he will join his proper station after each visit:

Dittmar Powder Works, Farmingdale, New Jersey;

Works of Lewis Nixon, Keyport, New Jersey;

Laflin & Rand Powder Works, Pompton Lakes, New Jersey.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Henry A. Webber*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding officer, 1st U. S. Infantry, for duty with that regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles F. Bates*, 25th Infantry, will proceed to Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, and report in person to the commanding officer, Company G, 25th Infantry, for duty therewith, and by letter to the commanding officer of the regiment at Fort Logan, Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the President, Captain *Warren C. Fairbanks*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 15, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eugene L. Swift*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, on completion of his duties pertaining to the muster out of New Hampshire volunteers, will proceed to Fort Slocum, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for

duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Isaac d'Isay*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from temporary duty as Chief Quartermaster, 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, and will proceed with his authorized clerk to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to subsistence duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles R. Parke*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, to Augusta, Maine, and report in person to the chief mustering officer for the State of Maine for duty pertaining to the muster out of the 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Robert Burns*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at Concord, New Hampshire, will report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the muster out of New Hampshire volunteers.

92. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James A. Logan, jr.*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as assistant to the Chief Commissary on the staff of Major General *Joseph C. Breckinridge*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed with his authorized clerk to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to subsistence duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

93. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *S. Schieffelin Stebbins*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *John C. Sweet*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry.

94. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *J. H. Claiborne*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Adolphe Rocquet*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *William J. Graham*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Edward Lee Shepherd*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Benjamin B. Harrison*, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

95. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Major *William H. Johnson*;

Captain *Edward W. Gould*;

Captain *James E. Hill*;

Captain *Charles B. Nicholas*;

Captain *Peter Shepherd, jr.*;

Captain *J. A. C. Stevens*;

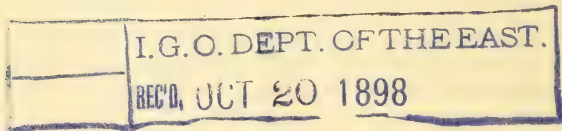
First Lieutenant *S. B. Randolph*;

First Lieutenant *George T. Wright*;

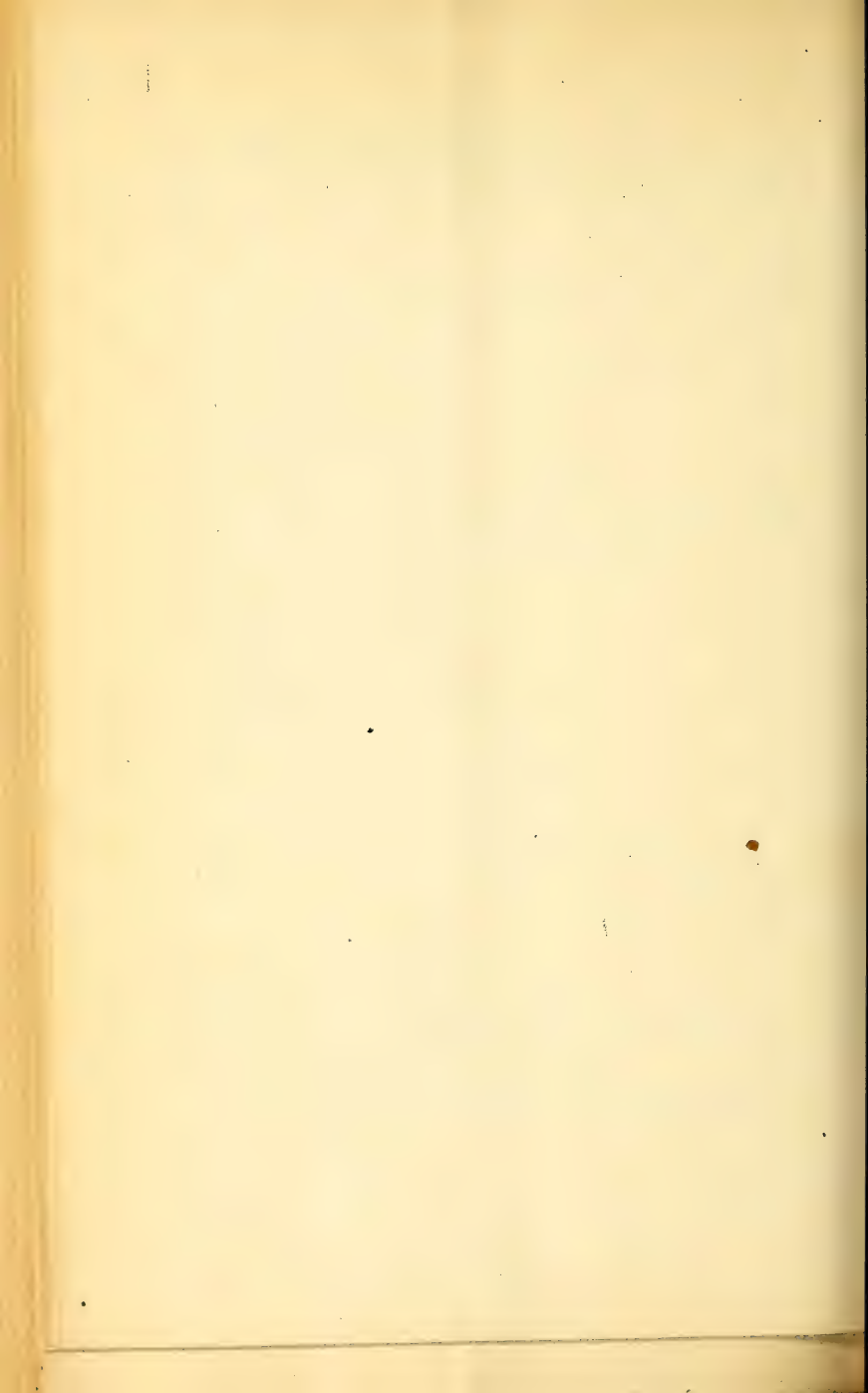
Second Lieutenant *David Worrell*.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







First Lieut. Hardy

SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 245. }

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 17, 1898.

1. Corporal *Arthur E. Mathews*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, having performed the duties assigned him in paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 136, October 13, 1898, Sullivans Island, South Carolina, will return to that station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. First Lieutenant *George J. Hardy*, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from further duty at Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed without delay to New York City and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Alfred N. Wilcox*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Bryan Conrad*, 1st Montana Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service as such on tender of resignation, to take effect September 1, 1898, by reason of his acceptance on September 2, 1898, of an appointment as 2d Lieutenant of Infantry, U. S. Army.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Albert L. Gustetter* and *Henry A. Seith*, Fernandina, Florida;

Privates *John B. Archer*, *George M. Boyer*, *Henry E. Brandt*, *Charles B. Hill*, and *Thomas F. McFarland*, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Acting Hospital Steward *William E. McCann* and Private *Frank L. Wilford*, 3d Army Corps, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *A. E. Wood*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Morris Loeb*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Anthony Stas* and *John J. Urias*, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *McDonald Watkins*, attached to 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *Emil M. Karmel*, Fort Keogh, Montana;

Private *Frederick W. Oppen*, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Jesse L. Day*, Ardmore, Indian Territory.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. Leave of absence for two months to date from August 23, 1898, is granted Captain *Champe S. Andrews*, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 238, October 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Thomas H. Liming*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, is amended to read, "*Theodore H. Liming*."

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Walter Gulick*, Battery H, 2d Artillery, is revoked.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *S. M. Langray*, Hospital Corps, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alpheus O. Buster*, Hospital Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. Private *Charles Van Houten*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company M, 23d Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, San Francisco, California. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

12. Sergeant *Michael Souders*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Grovers Cliff, Massachusetts, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Battery A, 5th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Hamilton, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter G. Coughlin*, Battery G, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at

Fort Warren, Massachusetts, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edgar W. Dickenson*, Hospital Corps, now at his home, Paris, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Philipp Hook*, Troop M, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Millard P. Hayward*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Columbus, New York, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama. He will report upon his arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *Richard P. Strong*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for assignment to the balloon detachment at that station.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert J. Pritchard*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jose R. Pesquira*, Company F, 7th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be sick in hospital at Fort Bliss, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George R. Striebinger*, Battery M, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at his home, Striebinger House, 6066 Michigan street, Cleveland, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William F. Brown*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at 2027 Norris street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be dis-

charged the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Fort McPherson, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles B. Boyles*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *William D. Kelly*, Company G, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Privates *Frank A. Woelffel*, Band, and *Thomas Young*, Company F, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *Pow A. Wooten*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Company, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Helms*, Company —, 25th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be a patient in the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James W. Dawes*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Fort McHenry, Maryland, and pay the troops at that post on muster of September 30, 1898, and on completion of this duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Majors *George W. Moses* and *James W. Dawes*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, will report to Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, for duty pertaining to payments on muster out to Pennsylvania volunteers, and will proceed under his direction to Philadelphia and such other points in Pennsylvania as may be necessary to make such payments. Each paymaster will be accompanied by his authorized clerk, and one additional clerk. The Quartermaster's Department will transport the necessary funds for these payments by express to such points as the paymasters may direct. On completion of the payments the officers named will return to their proper

stations. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edward R. Schreiner*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, and will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Infantry, for duty with that regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Henry V. Boynton*, U. S. Volunteers, having completed the duties for which he was ordered to this city, will return to Chickamauga National Park, Georgia, and resume his duties there, and to enable him to more advantageously carry out his instructions he will take station in the city of Chattanooga, Tennessee. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Carroll Mercer*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, on expiration of his present leave of absence, will proceed to Camp George G. Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence of a brigade in the 2d Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Oliver Edwards*, 11th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to New York City and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Quartermaster's Department, for special duty, and on the completion thereof will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arlington Pond*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Myer to Richmond, Virginia, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the muster out of the 3d Virginia Volunteers, and upon completion of that duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John McA. Webster*, 22d U. S. Infantry, now on sick leave of ab-

sence, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service and will proceed to Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and report to the recruiting officer, No. 951 Penn avenue, for duty at that station. Captain *Webster* is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John W. Furlong*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now on sick leave of absence, will report in person to Major *David J. Craigie*, 25th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer, No. 1316 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for assignment to temporary duty on the general recruiting service. Lieutenant *Furlong* is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Herbert N. Royden*, 23d U. S. Infantry, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, and will proceed to Providence, Rhode Island, to take charge of a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *John H. Gibbon*, assistant surgeon, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

34. By direction of the President, Captain *Harvey C. Carbaugh*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 5th U. S. Artillery), is honorably discharged from the volunteer army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898. The leave of absence heretofore granted him is extended to that date.

35. By direction of the President, Captain *William G. Bates*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 15, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the President, Captain *Harry S. New*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary

of War, to take effect October 15, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Benjamin H. Kittrell*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas H. Slavens*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, will upon his muster out as Major, 3d Missouri Volunteers, proceed to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to Major General *Francis V. Greene*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. The telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, relieving Major *Cyrus S. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry, as chief mustering officer for the State of Ohio, and detailing Captain *Joseph B. Batchelor, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in his stead, are confirmed by the Secretary of War.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Lyman W. V. Kennon*, 6th U. S. Infantry, is assigned to duty, to date October 12, 1898, as chief mustering officer for the State of Ohio, with station in Columbus, and will proceed to that point, relieving Captain *Joseph B. Batchelor, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry, of such duties. The following-named officers as his assistants are announced:

Captain *Joseph B. Batchelor, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Harry R. Lee*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Melvin W. Rowell*, 5th U. S. Cavalry;
 First Lieutenant *James J. Hornbrook*, 5th U. S. Cavalry;
 First Lieutenant *David P. Cordray*, 17th U. S. Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Harrison J. Price*, 24th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Charles D. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *John E. Bacon*, U. S. Army, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

42. Leave of absence for twenty days, to take effect October 16, 1898, is granted Major *Francis Metcalfe*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of ab-

sence granted Major *Marshall W. Wood*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 95, September 19, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month.

44. Second Lieutenant *Joseph E. Cusack*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty at Fort Riley, Kansas, and will proceed to join his regiment at Huntsville, Alabama. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the President, Captain *Robert Dudley Winthrop*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 20, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jesse C. Chance*, 13th U. S. Infantry, will report in person, upon the expiration of his present leave of absence, to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edmund Rice*, 3d Infantry, promoted from Captain, 5th Infantry, subject to examination (Colonel, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry), will report in person as soon as practicable after his arrival with his regiment at Boston, Massachusetts, to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will rejoin his regiment, the 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 231, September 30, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *John J. McCook*, Troop M, 1st Cavalry, is revoked.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Richard E. Craig*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged from the

service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *John Draddy*, now at Fort Porter, New York, is assigned to duty at that post.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Clifford S. Walton*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, having reported in person to the Adjutant General of the Army, in compliance with paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 10, Headquarters U. S. troops in Porto Rico, September 22, 1898, from special service with Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the Gulf, and will report in person to the Paymaster General of the Army for duty in his office, with station in this city, to date from October 14, 1898.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John W. Fogler*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, having reported in person to the Paymaster General of the Army, on return from sick leave of absence for one month granted him in paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 91, Headquarters 5th Army Corps, September 15, 1898, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the Gulf, and assigned to duty in the office of the Paymaster General of the Army, with station in this city, to date from October 15, 1898.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, Majors *Clifford S. Walton* and *John W. Fogler*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, for duty pertaining to payments on muster out to Pennsylvania volunteers, and will proceed, under his direction, to Philadelphia and such other points in Pennsylvania as may be necessary to make such payments. Each paymaster will be accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk. The Quartermaster's Department will transport the necessary funds for these payments by express to such points as the paymasters may direct. On completion of the payments, the officers named will return to their proper station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant

Edwin T. Cole, 6th U. S. Infantry, is designated as Acting Commissary of Subsistence and Acting Assistant Quartermaster, while on duty relieving the tidal wave sufferers on the Georgia coast.

55. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *F. D. Bain*, surgeon, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 20, October 2, 1898, Rio Piedras, Porto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, General Orders, No. 166, October 13, 1898, from this office, which assigns the following-named officers to duty at Macon, Georgia, is amended so as to direct them to proceed to join the 1st Army Corps at Lexington, Kentucky:

Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers;

Lieutenant Colonel *John Biddle*, chief engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *John M. G. Woodbury*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *S. E. Perkins*, 3d Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *George B. Pegram*, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas K. Richey*, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Louis S. Tesson*, surgeon, U. S. Army, having relinquished the unexpired portion of his sick leave of absence, will proceed at once from this city to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John H. Parker*, 13th U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Major *Jacob A. Augur*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary, and ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of volunteers from the State of Kansas.

60. The journey from Anniston, Alabama, to Jacksonville, Florida, made by Brigadier General *Edward B. Williston*, U. S. Volunteers, and his authorized aids, in compliance with telegraphic instructions to him from this office, dated October 12, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 99, Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

Brigadier General *Edward B. Williston*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed, accompanied by his authorized aids-de-camp, to Anniston, Alabama, and assume command of the 2d Infantry Brigade at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. The journey from New York City to this city made by Captain *Walter Allen*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, October 14, 1898, for the purpose of conference with the Quartermaster General of the Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Walter Allen*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, having completed his duties in this city, will return to New York City and resume his duties on the Quartermaster's Steamer "Obdam." The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James M. Cronin*, Quartermaster, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles E. Hinckley*, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Robert Burns*, surgeon, 1st New Hampshire Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service as such, on tender of resignation, to take effect October 11, 1898, by reason of his acceptance, on October 12, 1898, of an appointment as brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

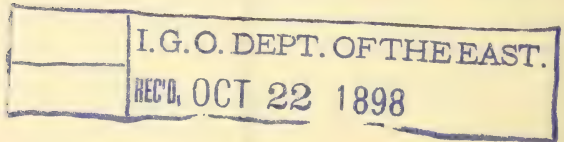
67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-

named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Major *H. A. Hull*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;
Captain *Max Mannheim*, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;
First Lieutenant *William E. Gordon*, 3d Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 246.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 18, 1898.

1. Private *Frank Aldridge*, 9th U. S. Infantry, now in this city without means to join his command, will be sent to the station of that regiment, Madison Barracks, New York.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of the company to which he may be assigned.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, the 15th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, commanded by Captain *Ambrose Higgins*, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report upon arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *R. P. Strong*, Chief Signal Officer, 4th Army Corps. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation, and the Subsistence Department the necessary travel rations and coffee money.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Donald A. Robinson*, Troop B, *Henry Ryan*, Troop E, *Charles B. Gould*, Troop G, 3d Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Privates *Thomas Farrell*, *Alfred L. Martin*, *Edwin A. Robertson*, and *Caspar E. Peiffer*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Privates *Charles L. Davis* and *Merrill M. Albert*, Troop H, 4th Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *Clarence Dyer*, Troop H, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Porto Rico;

Private *John D. Gallivan*, Troop C, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

for General.

Sergeant *Thomas Harrison*, Battery D, 7th U. S. Artillery, Portland Head, Maine;

Private *Albert H. Kelley*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, Grovers Cliff, Massachusetts;

Private *Claud Popino*, Battery H, 1st Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Frank Nolte*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *Lewis A. Fielding*, Battery D, 4th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *John F. Moore*, Battery E, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *William H. Davis*, Battery M, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

Private *August H. O. Rolle*, Company F, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *David E. Pence*, Company A, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Privates *Harry Moock*, Company D, and *Charles F. Ross*, Company G, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Edward H. Lammers* and *Charles Simon*, Company G, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Porter, New York;

Corporal *Sidney S. Johnson*, Company M, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Charles F. Todd*, Company D, and *Jacob C. Jones*, Company I, 17th Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Edward Stoffel*, Company C, 19th U. S. Infantry, Ponce, Porto Rico;

Private *Robert G. Sea*, Company I, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *Peter J. Bohr*, Company F, *Abner J. Hover*, Company G, *James C. Wiber*, Company H, *Charles S. Knapp*, Company I, and *John A. Bowman*, Company L, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Levi Burris*, Troop C, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Edward Keating*, Battery D, 1st Artillery, Newnan, Georgia;

Private *James E. Gorman*, Light Battery A, 2d Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Patrick Powderly*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut;

Private *William Smith*, Company I, 18th U. S. Infantry, Camp Otis, Hawaiian Islands;

Private *Vance Mills*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Joseph J. Schmidt*, Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Sergeant *Ernest W. Hull*, Troop E, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Corporal *Theodore C. Accola*, Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, Porto Rico;

Private *Otto H. Eberhardt*, Band, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Andrew J. Collins*, Company E, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *George W. Cummins*, Company E, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named privates of the Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the train:

David W. Creelman, *Robert Crooks*, *Dickran H. Erkiletlian*, and *Forrest Gabbert*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. Private *Ulysses F. Lappin*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to Company A, 23d Infantry, now supposed to be at that post.

8. Private *Charles S. Vaughn*, Company —, 14th U. S. Infantry, now attached to Company K, 23d U. S. Infantry,

Camp Merritt, San Francisco, California, is transferred to that company. He will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

9. Private *George W. Kertson*, Company —, 14th U. S. Infantry, now attached to Company K, 23d Infantry, at Camp Merritt, San Francisco, California, is transferred to that company and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Cleaveland Hilson, jr.*, Hospital Corps, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

11. Private *Michael J. Pendergast*, Troop A, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the 12th U. S. Infantry at that post. He will report to the commanding officer thereof for assignment to a company.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Edward Ryan*, General Service, now at Recruiting Station, No. 513 Broadway, Albany, New York, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the officer in charge of the station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Smith*, Mounted Service, now at Recruiting Station, No. 445 East Water street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of that station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Brennan*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Ardmore, Indian Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

15. Private *William Lange*, Battery I, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop A, 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be

sent to the station of that troop, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

16. Private *John Reynolds*, Troop D, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Presidio of San Francisco, California. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

17. Sergeant *William O. McFatridge*, Troop G, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Meade, South Dakota, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Company G, 4th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Sheridan, Illinois. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Gebbie*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Adams*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities, serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Adams, Rhode Island, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John T. Banfield*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph A. Smith*, Company —, 21st U. S. Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harris H. Walker*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. Privates *David W. Street* and *George A. Jacobson*, Battery H, 7th Artillery, now on furlough in this city and without means to join their proper station, will be sent to Fort Adams, Rhode Island.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldiers on the next muster and pay roll of the battery.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Walter E. Heyser* and Private *Clyde E. Kerns*, Company D, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Emile Lods*, Band, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Joseph B. Shirk*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Sergeant *John T. Withers*, Company F, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *John Howe Peyton*, Company D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Arthur D. Apple*, Company B, *Earle P. Story*, Company F, and Corporal *Charles E. Rice*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Quartermaster Sergeant *John Welch*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George B. Matthews, jr.*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William Ester*, Company C, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

30. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect on or about November 1, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Vernon A. Caldwell*, 25th U. S. Infantry.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *W. B. McPherrin*, Company M, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Wesley P. McGlothlin*, Company F, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

Private *R. R. Jervey*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery;

Privates *Thomas Weeks*, Company H, *Thomas Shute* and *Ad. W. Schultz*, Company G, 3d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William T. Edwards*, Privates *Charles E. Hayden*, Company C; *Frank Werner*, *Fred Rogge*, and *James Grogan*, Company D, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Winfield S. Freeman*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Harry B. Boice*, Company A, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Kenneth B. McLeod*, Company F, and Corporal *A. D. Crutchfield*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank L. Bickerton*, Company C, and Sergeant *Charles O. Paxson*, Company F, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Floyd C. Waite*, Company E, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Cecil J. Gardner*, and Acting Hospital Steward *James E. Hadfield*, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Bert Caldwell*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Charles C. Carpenter*, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Private *Louis A. Victor*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Albert L. Dinnin*, General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Guy Rogers*, Benicia Barracks, California;

Private *Edward M. Gosby*, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, Ponce, Porto Rico.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will report in person to the chief mustering officer at Fort Preble, Maine, for duty pertaining to the examination of the 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry, ordered to be mustered out of service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *William C. Gorgas*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 223, September 21, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Frank Bruso*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 102, September 10, 1898, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on account of sickness granted Major *William Williams*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. Leave of absence for two months is granted 2d Lieutenant *James L. Graham*, 5th U. S. Infantry.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Parker W. West*, 8th Cavalry, will, upon the expiration of his present leave, proceed to New York City and report in person to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer, for duty in connection with the muster out of New York volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *John W. C. Abbott*, Company F, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *James F. Clark*, *Carl A. Margolf*, Company A, and *Frank J. Kellaher*, Company I, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Class Sergeant *Charles S. Reber*, 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Elwood Ross*, Company E, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur B. Smith*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Ravenna, Ohio, to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Jacob H. Kropp*, Ordnance Detachment, now at Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, will be sent to Benicia Arsenal, California, and will report upon his arrival at that station to the commanding officer for duty.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Julian C. Baker*, Company A, 5th Maryland Volunteer Infantry, is upon his own application transferred to the 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Knoxville, Tennessee. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George W. Schan*, Company A, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Walter S. Martin*, Company I, 33d Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Calvin C. Swormstedt*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Edgar H. Leonard*, Band, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *Leonard Schultze*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George Rowley*, Company G, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *Abram Schleimer*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Harold C. Burdett* and Private *Lewis R. Brine*, Company H, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Joseph W. Smith* and Private *Jabez S. Smith*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Charles E. Sherwood*, 7th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Clinton Runyon*, Company L, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Joseph Creeden*, Company A, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Joseph L. Dauterive*, Company C, 1st Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George L. Buckholz*, Company D, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *W. A. Wyatt*, 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Matthew W. Yerger*, Company I, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Musician *Raymond L. Berry*, Company L, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Samuel Weakley*, Company D, 1st Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Jason E. Hunt*, Company D, and Private *Schubert Welling*, Company H, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Fred. Wolff*, Company F, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Samuel O. Barnes*, Company H, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *Alva S. Pinto*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry J. Gildersleeve*, Company A, and Corporal *Frank J. Forbes*, Company B, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James W. Reilly*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed two visits from Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts, to Great Diamond Island, Maine, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John G. Butler*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Kennebec Arsenal, Augusta, to Fort Preble, Maine, on official

business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of sea-coast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur Jordan*, U. S. Army, on expiration of his present leave of absence will report to the Surgeon General of the Army.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Percy M. Ashburn*, U. S. Army, is extended seven days.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Charles S. Walkley*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty with the 2d U. S. Infantry, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, for assignment to duty at that hospital. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William E. Richards*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from Huntsville, to Birmingham, Alabama, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place, for duty pertaining to the muster out of Alabama volunteers, and on the completion of this duty will return to his station at Huntsville, Alabama. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Victor C. Vaughan*, division surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and Major *Edward O. Shakespeare*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, members of the board of medical officers appointed by paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 194, August 18, 1898, from this office, are assigned to duty in this city for a period of two months for the purpose of completing their report.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William F. Lewis*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty with the 4th Army Corps, at Huntsville, Alabama, and will proceed to Montgomery, Alabama, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place, for duty pertaining to the muster out of Alabama volunteers. On the completion of this duty, Captain *Lewis* will return to his

proper station at Sullivans Island, South Carolina. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Thomas W. Darrah*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will report in person for examination, in due time, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at ten o'clock a. m., November 15, 1898, for the examination of Lieutenants of the line of the Army, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and upon the completion of his examination will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William R. Graham*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the Gulf, and will proceed to and take station at Chicago, Illinois, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the Lakes, for duty, and by letter to the commanding general of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Benjamin Munday*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty with the 7th Army Corps and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, commanding the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James M. Jenne*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now on sick leave of absence at St. Albans, Vermont, will proceed to Boston, Massachusetts, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for duty pertaining to the examination of Massachusetts volunteers ordered to be mustered out of service. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George J. Newgarden*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Adams, Rhode Island, to Boston, Massachusetts, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place for

duty pertaining to the examination of Massachusetts volunteers ordered to be mustered out of service. On completion of this duty, Captain *Newgarden* will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. Captain *Charles W. Taylor*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, having been selected by the President, under section 7 of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1883, to be secretary and treasurer of the Soldiers' Home, District of Columbia, the Secretary of War relieves him from recruiting duty in New York City, and directs that after giving the bond as required by the act cited he enter upon duty accordingly November 1, 1898, and relieve Major *Eugene F. Ladd*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 9th U. S. Cavalry), of the duties of the office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Dunn Loring, Virginia, is discontinued as an important depot at which officers of the Subsistence Department are assignable to duty for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will proceed to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to temporary duty on his staff:

Captain *William B. Allison, jr.*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *John Williams Black*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

First Lieutenant *Frederick S. Titus*, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *William R. Sample*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

76. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *George H. Steel*, 19th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 16, September 28, 1898, Rio Piedras,

Puerto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Wright*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, now awaiting orders at Amherst, Massachusetts, will proceed not later than October 25, 1898, to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for appropriate assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Patrick J. Hart*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty with the 3d U. S. Cavalry, and will resume his duties at Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Chaplain *Allen Allensworth*, 24th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from further recruiting duty at Louisville, Kentucky, and will proceed to Fort Douglas, Utah, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. Leave of absence for ten days is granted Major *Edward C. Carter*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

81. The leave of absence granted Captain *George W. McIver*, 7th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 84, September 8, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Post Chaplain *Henry Swift*, U. S. Army, is extended ten days.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will report to Captain *Robert M. Rogers*, 2d Artillery, chief mustering officer for the State of Maine, for duty, for the purpose of physically examining such volunteers as are to be mustered out of service under his supervision.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles E. B. Flagg*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from Fort McPherson, Georgia, to Montgomery, Alabama, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *John B. McDonald*, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry, chief mustering

officer at that place, for duty pertaining to the muster out of Alabama volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank H. Lord*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once from Biltmore, North Carolina, to Camp George G. Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty with a brigade of the 2d Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert N. Pitts*, U. S. Army, now on leave of absence at Montgomery, Alabama, will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *John B. McDonald*, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry, chief mustering officer at that place, for assignment to duty.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *William A. Marye*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, commanding Fort Monroe Arsenal, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will make not to exceed two visits per month during the months of November and December, 1898, each, to the Tredegar Iron Works, Richmond, Virginia, and to the Petersburg Iron Works, Petersburg, Virginia, on official business pertaining to the inspection of projectiles now in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and upon completion thereof to return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James S. Michael*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster at that place, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quartermaster's steamer "Obdam," relieving Captain *Walter Allen*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties. Captain *Allen*, upon being thus relieved, will report by letter to the Quartermaster General for further orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 21, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, as announces the assignment of 1st Lieutenant *Erneste*

V. Smith, 4th Infantry, as assistant mustering officer at Lexington, Kentucky, is revoked, and the detail of 1st Lieutenant *Harry A. Smith*, 5th Infantry, is announced in his stead.

90. By direction of the Secretary War, 1st Lieutenant *Herbert S. Whipple*, 7th Cavalry, will report to Major *William J. Nicholson*, chief mustering officer at Lexington, Kentucky, for duty as assistant mustering officer.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Major *E. A. Pearson*, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Chaplain *Joseph J. Wooley*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Chaplain *Edward F. Jorden*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *J. K. Spicer*, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

92. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Chaplain *John A. Burnett*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Israel A. Sheridan*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Henry A. Murphy*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Elmer E. Fulmer*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Harry L. Barck, jr.*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

93. Under the provisions of section 14 of the act of Congress approved April 22, 1898, and upon the adverse report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, 1st Lieutenant *A. J. Morse*, assistant surgeon, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, is, by direction of the President, discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances.

94. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Major *W. E. Thompson*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

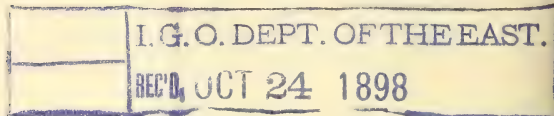
Major *James F. Phetteplace*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 20, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Stephen J. Keefe*, assistant surgeon, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 20, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *W. H. Zuehlke*, 2d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 1, 1898.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

No. 247.

Washington, October 19, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Robert C. Milburn*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now on sick furlough to October 29, 1898, is, upon his own application, transferred as a private to Company B, 13th U. S. Infantry, and upon expiration of his furlough will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Columbus, New York.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benjamin F. Beatty*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to Fort McPherson, Georgia. He will upon his arrival report for duty to the surgeon commanding the U. S. General Hospital at that place.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph E. Willard*, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, the boards of officers convened at the places and by the orders from this office hereinafter specified, for the examination of officers to determine their fitness for promotion, are dissolved, and all orders, circulars, text-books, and examination papers remaining in the possession of the boards, or of any member thereof, will be returned to this office:

Office of the Surgeon General, U. S. Army, convened by paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 105, May 4, 1894.

Fort Monroe, Virginia, convened by paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 284, December 3, 1896; paragraph 9, Special Orders, No. 48, February 28, 1898, and paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 55, March 8, 1898.

Fort Douglas, Utah, convened by paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 93, April 22, 1897.

Presidio of San Francisco, California, convened by paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 231, October 2, 1897.

Secretary General

War Department, Washington, District of Columbia, convened by paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 270, November 17, 1897.

Vancouver Barracks, Washington, convened by paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 23, January 28, 1898.

Fort Robinson, Nebraska, convened by paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 30, February 5, 1898.

Governors Island, New York City, convened by paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 35, February 11, 1898, and paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 55, March 8, 1898.

Fort Sam Houston, Texas, convened by paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 42, February 19, 1898.

Fort Riley, Kansas, convened by paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 55, March 8, 1898.

Fort Myer, Virginia, convened by paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 60, March 14, 1898.

Fort Sheridan, Illinois, convened by paragraph 9, Special Orders, No. 73, March 29, 1898.

Tampa, Florida, convened by paragraph 20, Special Orders, No. 102, May 2, 1898.

Mobile, Alabama, convened by paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 104, May 4, 1898.

Denver, Colorado, convened by paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 119, May 21, 1898.

Port Tampa, Florida, convened by paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 137, June 11, 1898.

Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, convened by paragraph 36, Special Orders, No. 139, June 14, 1898.

Chickamauga National Park, Georgia, convened by paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898.

Santiago, Cuba, convened by paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 180, August 2, 1898.

Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, convened by paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898.

5. Privates *J. H. Acton* and *Hubert M. Foley*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of their regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon arrival to their troop commander for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post:

Private *Francis Ahlstrand*, Company A;

Private *William Bernard Fahey*, Company B;

Privates *Henry Briear*, *Frank Burns*, *Albert R. Cecil*, *George W. Fleshman*, *William Hecker*, *Charles C. Huff*, *Thomas H. Jenkins*, *Theodore Kohn*, *William J. Loveing*, *William G. Mohr*, *Floyd Morrison*, *Bernard Morton*, *Myron Palmer*, *George S. Paterson*, *Thomas C. Place*, *Frank Reed*, *John H. Richards*, *Fred C. Rowley*, and *Frank Sease*, Company C;

Privates *James A. Bradburry*, *Arthur Boullion*, *Patrick Conway*, *Ernest M. Johnson*, *James R. Kirkendol*, *Adolph Lefkovits*, *John Rothkofske*, *William A. Shannon*, *James Shudrowitz*, Company D;

Privates *Charles Champion*, *Thomas Cunniff*, *Cornelius Hickey*, *Charles J. Huber*, *John Mulheim*, *Hugh Philips*, *Charles W. Lamb*, *William R. Lavis*, *George Martin*, *Robert Phelan*, *Abraham L. Quinn*, Company F;

Privates *Christ Belsley*, *George Hydenger*, *Herman Lade*, *William McLaughlin*, *George Oliver*, *Pleasant P. Robinson*, *Benjamin C. Smith*, *Harry Trosper*, Company H;

Privates *William J. Andrews*, *Emil E. Christrup*, *Charles M. Fesler*, *George A. Mattson*, *John W. Glenn*, *George W. Houghton*, *Theodore Kolski*, *Jasper McDermott*, *Walter O. Rieckenberg*, *Alva Nelson*, and *Joseph Rythewski*, Company I;

Privates *Lewis C. Asbell*, *George Bily*, *Henry R. Bollinger*, *Charles S. Brown*, *Conrad A. Brune*, *Thomas E. Charlton*, *Robert E. Coppinger*, *John Dolan*, *Rhiner Hamming*, *Henry W. Janaes*, *William F. Kennedy*, *James Kros*, *William Kreuger*, *Louis Larson*, *Wilbur Lewis*, *William W. May*, *Thomas Naughton*, *F. A. Reissig*, *Ira S. Riggs*, *Phillip Robinson*, *Frank E. Roberts*, *John Ross*, *Charles Schmid*, *Frank L. Schuttler*, *Arthur Simmons*, *Simon L. Waldman*, and *Percy H. Winans*, Company K;

Corporals *James Griffin*, *Oliver E. Bacon*, *Frank H. Baltimore*; Privates *Dow J. Boggs*, *Cyrus L. Moore*, *William Casper*, *Edward Clow*, *Henry Christianson*, *Frank Doubek*, *Hugo C. Eckhardt*, *Jay M. Faunce*, *Ross C. Fletcher*, *Leonard P. Green*, *George W. Harkins*, *Joseph Hemfling*, *Charles D. Hol-*

loway, Willard F. Johnson, Richard E. Knorr, H. H. Lohse, William McDonald, Frank Spatny, Lester Robbins, Henry Seffers, Charlie A. Tage, Frank Vejvoda, Arthur White, Ernest Walters, and Raymond Welch, Company L;

Privates Edward G. Bidinger, Louis Berger, Joseph B. Foy, Patrick Fitzgerald, Henry Guldenzopf, Fred G. Hageman, Frank Huntley, Peter Hubacek, Philip F. Kuskey, Austin W. Keinsmid, John Sandquist, Edwin Padden, Frederick E. Provenchere, Joseph Safranek, John F. Tuburen, and John H. Ward, Company M.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates George W. Kelly, Troop B; Henry Bour, Troop D; John H. Simpson, Troop F; Olaf O. Oppedale and Charles L. Smith, Troop L; David H. Clark and David D. Griffiths, Troop M, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private Charles E. McPherson, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private Hugh Barclay, Troop A, 5th Cavalry, Porto Rico;

Private Harry D. Knee, Troop K, 5th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private John E. Colgan, Light Battery E, 1st Artillery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private Zade I. Hale, Battery M, 1st Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private John Bemish, Battery I, 2d Artillery, Fort Caswell, North Carolina;

Private Willard J. Thomas, Battery I, 3d Artillery, Angel Island, California;

Private John Quincy A. Miller, Battery K, 4th U. S. Artillery, Sheridans Point, Virginia;

Privates Daniel J. Ober and George H. Quackenbush, Light Battery F, 5th Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York;

Private James Kenny, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Privates Joseph Mueller, Company G, and Harry L. Sadler, Company F, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Perley W. Smith*, Company D, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Brady, Michigan;

Private *Gustav Cornehl*, Company F, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Frank Atkins*, Company G, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Porter, New York;

Privates *George W. Rife* and *Roy D. Thomson*, Company F; *John H. Davis*, Company I, and *William Feightner*, Company L, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *James T. Chasteen*, Company B; *Jack Ford*, Company G; Sergeant *Samuel F. Edmondson*, Privates *Charles J. Giles* and *Callie M. Underwood*, Company M, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Arthur E. Winter*, Company M, 1st New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Honolulu, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates, and will report to Captain *Carl F. Hartman*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, for assignment to duty:

Privates *James Corcoran*, Company C, and *G. W. Mercer*, Company I, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry; Privates *C. F. Van Wickle*, Company G, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry; *Patrick Rowan*, and *Charles Baker*, Company F, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry; *J. E. W. Asselin*, Company D, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Lyman W. McGuire*, Company H, and *William J. Gibson*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Camp

Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates. They will be sent to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report to Captain *Carl F. Hartman*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for assignment to duty.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *William H. Drake*, Company E, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, and *J. E. Williams*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now in Santiago de Cuba, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates, and will report to Captain *J. E. Brady, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps at that place, for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates, and will report to Captain *Frank E. Lyman, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps at that place, for duty:

Corporals *Alphonse T. Johnston*, Company K; *Harry P. Allen*, Company G; *John E. Mason*, Company F; *Patrick K. Hanley*, Company H; Privates *James A. Freeman*, Company H; *George W. Schaffer*, Company F; *John E. Wise*, Company E; *George A. Bonter*, Company I, and *Robert E. Moore*, Company A, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry; Privates *Hugo Behnne*, Company I, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry; *John P. Moore* and *Eugene M. Montgomery*, Company B; *Charles H. Funk*, Company I, and *Thomas B. Carland*, Company L; *William W. Murray* and *Walter J. Peery*, Company M, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers; *John D. Morrison*, Company K, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William A. Heffernan, jr.*, Company A, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now in Fernandina, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, is amended to read, "Private *Wallace E. Bolton*, Company F, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry."

16. Corporal *Hans J. C. Carstensen*, Troop C, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Riley, Kansas, is transferred as private to Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, stationed at that post. He will report for duty to the commanding officer of the troop to which he is transferred.

17. Private *James Crawley*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post. He will report for duty to the commanding officer of the battery to which he is transferred.

18. Private *John Merry*, Troop C, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Riley, Kansas, is transferred to Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, stationed at that post. He will report for duty to the commanding officer of the troop to which he is transferred.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Folan*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be at Fernandina, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States, on November 28, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that regiment:

Private *Robert F. Walter*, Troop A;

Private *Washington Rivers*, Troop C;

Private *George M. Clark*, Troop E;

Blacksmith *Julius F. Sands*, Troop H;

Private *Max A. Reinkendorf*, Troop K;

Private *Walter Deardorff*, Troop M.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Paul L. Jackson*, Troop G, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Hugh J. Fanning* and *John J. Keefe*, Company F, 8th U. S. Infantry, Porto Rico;

Private *George Donnelly*, Company D, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *George F. Behm*, Battery K, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank O. Hodgkins*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be at Fernandina, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States on December 3, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 60, Special Orders, No. 240, October 11, 1898, from this office, as relates to Commissary Sergeant *William Kenkle*, is revoked.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *John Wilson*, now at Key West Barracks, Florida, will be sent to Jibara, Cuba. He will report to Captain *Peter C. Deming*, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur E. Leussler*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry J. Schmunk*, Company D, 21st U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Plattsburg Barracks, New York, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Vincent A. Kelly*, Troop F, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at his home, No. 1341 South 6th street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto C. Hauri*, Company I, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, 808 North Sixth street, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *William A. Lautrup* and *William G. Harrington*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank T. Markley*, Company F, 6th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Patrick Barnett*, Company D, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at his home, No. 14 Pemberton street, Waterbury, Connecticut, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, detailing 1st Lieutenant *Alfred M. Hunter*, 4th U. S. Artillery, for duty on the general recruiting service at Springfield, Illinois, is revoked.

33. Leave of absence for fourteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Louis P. Brant*, 1st U. S. Infantry.

34. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Lieutenant Colonel *John A. Kress*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers.

35. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Stephen B. Elkins, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of

War, to take effect December 15, 1898, his services being no longer required.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Milton D. Norris*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, Huntsville, Alabama, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and from thence to such other points as may be designated by and under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. Colonel *Wheeler* will inspect such unserviceable quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at the places he may visit under this order, and for this purpose he is appointed a Special Inspector under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, and on completion of these duties he will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George H. Torney*, surgeon, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, vice Major *John M. Banister*, surgeon, who is hereby relieved.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles B. Wheeler*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Spuyten Duyvil, New York, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of gun carriages, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Dwight B. Taylor*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the command-

ing general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. Paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 233, October 3, 1898, from this office, is so amended as to grant 1st Lieutenant *James H. McRae*, Adjutant, 3d U. S. Infantry, leave of absence for two months from September 5, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Guy L. Edie*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry J. Hinkel*, U. S. Army, will report in person without delay to the commanding officer, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The travel from Montauk Point, New York, to New York City, and return to Montauk Point, October 12 and 13, 1898, by Captain *Ambrose Higgins*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, on official business pertaining to the disposition of signal property at Montauk Point, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Harry M. Hallock*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Logan, Colorado.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 23, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, is amended to read Acting Hospital Steward *Charles E. Cavanagh* instead of "Private *Charles E. Cavanagh*."

47. Private *Thomas Crowley*, Company D, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company K, 16th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benno Altmann*, Company A, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital

Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles L. Cutler*, Battery I, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward P. Mulvaney*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Campbell F. Fagot*, Troop K, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now on sick furlough at his home in New Orleans, Louisiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. Private *Samuel S. Bryant*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, unassigned, now attached to the 5th U. S. Cavalry, at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop H, of that regiment. He will report for duty to the commanding officer of the troop to which he is transferred.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Sergeant *Engelbrekt Norlin*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Wilson L. Raley*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Henry Bossert*, Band, 5th Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Michael O'Connor*, Battery L, 5th Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Hugh F. Martin* and *Arthur W. Smith*, Troop B, and *Harry*

H. McKinney, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

55. Private *Orson A. Pattee*, Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to Company M, 23d Infantry, at that station. He will report for duty to the commanding officer of the company to which he is transferred.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *C. V. Nusz*, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William H. Barr*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

58. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *L. J. Rowell*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 232, paragraph 94, October 1, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

59. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Jesse A. Douglass*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 11, September 30, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

60. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *F. L. Conklin*, 1st North Dakota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 34, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, August 31, 1898, is extended three months on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James T. Arwine*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Fort Ringgold, Texas, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, to relieve Acting Assistant Surgeon *F. A. E. Disney*, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the President, Captain *Harry S. New*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary

of War, to take effect October 19, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John A. Logan*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *John C. Bates*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *Ernest W. Fowler*, *Robert C. Rind*, and *Victor E. Watkins*, U. S. Army, are relieved from duty at the Sternberg Hospital, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, and will proceed to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. General Hospital at that post for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. The leave of absence for seven days granted Captain *James B. Nevin*, 2d Georgia Volunteers, in orders from Headquarters 5th Army Corps, May 26, 1898, is changed to a leave of absence for that period on account of sickness.

66. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry E. Tinfrock*, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 223, paragraph 24, September 21, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

67. The leave of absence granted Chaplain *C. B. Crawford*, 2d Ohio Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 264, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, October 8, 1898, is extended ten days.

68. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Major *L. E. Harter*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 224, paragraph 22, September 22, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

69. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Hollis C. Clark*, Quartermaster, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 217, September 14, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Charles J. Goff*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 220, September 17, 1898, from this office, is extended five days.

71. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Harry R. Anderson*, 4th Artillery.

72. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Everett E. Benjamin*, Adjutant, 1st Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Alfred C. Sharpe*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is changed to leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability from October 3, 1898, and extended to include October 14, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

74. The leave of absence granted Major *Sumner H. Lincoln*, 10th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 219, September 16, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of disability.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date, upon the mutual application of the officers concerned:

Captain *Thomas T. Knox*, from the 1st U. S. Cavalry to the 6th U. S. Cavalry, Troop M;

Captain *J. F. Reynolds Landis*, from the 6th U. S. Cavalry to the 1st U. S. Cavalry, Troop K.

76. By direction of the President, Major *Lewis Schooler*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 19, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *G. Creighton Webb*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers.

78. The journey from Harrisburg to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and return, performed on October 4, 1898, by Major *William A. Thompson*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, mustering officer, on official business, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

79. Under instructions from the President, the following transfers, upon the mutual application of the officers concerned, are made by the Secretary of War:

Captain *Montgomery D. Parker*, from the 7th U. S. Cavalry to the 8th U. S. Infantry, Company H, to date from October 14, 1898, with rank in the Infantry arm from August 7, 1897;

Captain *William A. Mercer*, from the 8th U. S. Infantry to the 7th U. S. Cavalry, Troop A, to date from October 14, 1898, with rank in the Cavalry arm from August 7, 1897.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Walter Reed*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Natural Bridge, Virginia, on official business pertaining to the medical department of the army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ezequiel de la Calle*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as of the grades set opposite their respective names, and will report to the commanding officer, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps at Camp Wikoff, for duty, viz:

Sergeant *James S. Thompson*, Company E, as a sergeant;
Sergeant *A. S. Collins*, Company B, as a 1st class private;
Private *George S. Turton*, Company A, as a 1st class private;

Private *Frank V. E. Gardner*, Company E, as a 1st class private;

Private *Edwin G. Hindert*, Company E, as a 1st class private;

Private *Alfred H. Dyson*, Company E, as a 1st class private;

Private *Floyd E. West*, Company G, as a 1st class private.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Harry W. Hurst*, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, who was transferred to that regiment from Company G, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, by paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 162, July 12, 1898, from this office, is retransferred to Company G, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, and will report to the commanding officer of that company for duty.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Karl A. Emmerling*, assistant surgeon, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

85. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant Secretary of War directs that the following named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, be, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect upon receipt of this order at the posts, and repair to their homes:

Commissary Sergeant *George R. Kemp*, Montauk Point, New York;

Principal Musician *Robert White*, 4th Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

First Sergeant *Frederick Dittus*, Battery K, 2d Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

First Sergeant *George Berry*, Troop G, 10th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Sergeant *William F. Ullrich*, Company E, 2d Infantry, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Sergeant *Benjamin Hockins*, Troop C, 9th Cavalry, Fort Columbus, New York;

Sergeant *William S. Southerland*, Company L, 18th Infantry, Recruiting Station, San Antonio, Texas;

Corporal *John Kneubuhler*, Troop B, 4th Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *Robert Prescher*, Band. 9th Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journeys are necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Elvius C. Addelman*, Ordnance Detachment, Benicia Barracks, California, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Benicia Barracks, California, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

87. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph R. Bosworth*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort McPherson Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



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SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 248. } Washington, October 20, 1898.

1. Private *William Hall*, Troop E, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Apache, Arizona Territory.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for seven days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 109, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, assigning Lieutenant Colonel *Frank E. Nye*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, to the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the purchasing depot at Huntsville, Alabama, with the rank of Colonel, is amended to take effect September 9, 1898.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ira MacNutt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, Inspector of Ordnance, Bethlehem Iron Works, South Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, will make not to exceed six visits to the Carpenter Steel Works, Reading, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the inspection of projectiles, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles A. H. McCauley*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will proceed from Philadelphia to Columbia, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas F. Ryan*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Manzanillo, Cuba, is assigned to duty as Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place.

6. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *James W. Watson*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 240, October 11, 1898, from this office, is further extended ten days.

7. The leave of absence granted Captain *George H. Palmer*, 16th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is extended two months.

Adj. General

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Clarence R. Edwards*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 127, current series, 4th Army Corps, is further extended one month and fifteen days on account of sickness.

9. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Captain *Clifton L. Fenton*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

10. Cadet *Leo E. Schellberg*, 4th Class, U. S. Military Academy, by reason of physical disability, is discharged from the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

11. First Lieutenant *Frank D. Ely*, 9th U. S. Infantry, recently promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 13th Infantry, will proceed to join his regiment upon the expiration of his present sick leave. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *J. R. Van Ness*, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur Jordan*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Richmond, Virginia, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place, for assignment to duty pertaining to the muster out of Virginia volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Albert C. Dalton*, 22d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 19, September 3, 1898, Camp Wikoff, New York, is extended one month.

15. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Lee C. Hoyl*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 42, October 2, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month.

16. The sick leave of absence granted Colonel *C. L. Kennan*, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 229 paragraph 74, September 28, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

17. Second Lieutenant *Harold P. Goodnow*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is assigned to Battery D of that regiment.

18. Second Lieutenant *Fox Conner*, 2d U. S. Artillery, transferred from Battery D to Light Battery F of that reg-

ment, and will proceed to join the battery to which he is transferred. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Robert M. O'Reilly*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Major General *James F. Wade*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty as chief surgeon on his staff, with station in Havana, Cuba.

20. Leave of absence for three months on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *Philip E. M. Walker*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

21. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William J. Glasgow*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 219, September 16, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Emerson H. Liscom*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 221, September 19, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William H. Thrift*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the Gulf, and will proceed to and take station at Chicago, Illinois, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the Lakes, for duty, and by letter to the commanding general of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thaddeus Walker*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Leiter U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, and will proceed to Fort Wayne, Michigan, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the President, Major *George W. Crile*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 20, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. Carlisle De Vries*, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from New York City, New York, to this city, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *John W. Arbuckle*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

28. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Leon Mayer*, 8th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 76, August 20, 1898, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, is extended to include September 30, 1898, on account of sickness.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James L. Wilson*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City, New York, to this city, and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for consultation. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John W. Heard*, Quartermaster, 3d U. S. Cavalry, in addition to his duties as Quartermaster, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will assume charge of the construction of public buildings at that post, to relieve Captain *Henry W. Hovey*, 24th U. S. Infantry, of those duties.

31. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Schuyler C. Graves*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 106, September 14, 1898, from headquarters 4th Army Corps, is extended one month by the Secretary of War, on account of sickness.

32. By direction of the President, Major *Schuyler C. Graves*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 15, 1898, his services being no longer required.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Aaron H. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is amended so as to direct him to proceed from Pueblo Beach, Florida, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, New York City, and Buffalo, New York, on official business pertaining to the

Medical Department of the Army, and on completion of this duty will proceed to Fort Grant, Arizona. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the President, Major *Samuel W. Kelly*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 20, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Irving G. Caldwell*, Company L, 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Middletown, Pennsylvania. The expense of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Ward*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

37. The following-named enlisted men of the 7th, 9th, 13th, and 17th U. S. Infantry, now attached to the companies of the 19th U. S. Infantry, as shown herein, are transferred to that regiment, viz:

SEVENTH INFANTRY.

Attached to Company H, 19th Infantry.—Privates *James F. Morton, John O'Connor, Patrick Powers, and John Quigley.*

Attached to Company I, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Thomas Coughlin, James Moynihan, John A. McGowan, Alexander McMillan, James McMurdy, Patrick J. Murphy, Edward Murray, Philip E. Neeson, Chris Nelson, and Thomas Meighan.*

Attached to Company K, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Milford D. Leland, Charles A. Laughlin, Carsten Maitfield, Edward I. McCarthy, Michael McDonough, and Daniel McCarthy.*

Attached to Company L, 19th Infantry.—Privates *George E. Gammarsh, Francis T. Gately, John C. Harrington, James L. Hickey, Henry Johnstine, and Fred L. Keith.*

Attached to Company M, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Joseph W. Anderson, Charles Anslow, Michael H. Byrnes, John Brett,*

John Beshie, Bert L. Clifford, Harry F. Cornell, James Cooney, Daniel Dame, Charles Donovan, Harry E. Dunton, John J. Flaherty, Michael Flynn, Dennis J. Driscoll, William P. Ford, and John J. Fitzgerald.

NINTH INFANTRY.

Attached to Company E, 19th Infantry.—Private *Michael J. Griffin.*

Attached to Company L, 19th Infantry.—Private *Charles F. Austin.*

Attached to Company M, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Delbert McLain* and *Michael Michaels.*

THIRTEENTH INFANTRY.

Attached to Company M, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Martin Conley* and *John Lewis.*

SEVENTEENTH INFANTRY.

Attached to Company A, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Bert Lerch, Mackey O. Leffel, Charles F. Lougel, Orr Lowe, Arthur McDonald, James P. McGivern, and John R. McKeown.*

Attached to Company B, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Patrick H. Greeley, Charles M. Hoffman, Charles Huey, Arthur H. Hummel, Daniel Hyman, Moses Jacobs, Elias James, John Henney* and *Conrad Kleinhenz.*

Attached to Company C, 19th Infantry.—Privates *John Haag, Walter Hahne, George Harris, Philip Helmlinger, Livingston L. Henry, Theodore Herbst, Ray Hoover, and Henry Howlas.*

Attached to Company D, 19th Infantry.—Privates *John P. Goodman, Charley H. Gordon, Joseph H. Gibney, John Graham, John B. Giron, Edward J. Gurren, Charles M. Hadden, and John Hamelick.*

Attached to Company E, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Charles R. Costlow, Charles R. Daggett, Frosard Dixon, Samuel E. Downs, Hugh C. Duncan, Richard E. C. Emery, Eugene H. Fox, James C. Gallaher, William A. Malloy, and Clyde E. Woolman.*

Attached to Company F, 19th Infantry.—Privates *William W. Bishop, John A. Brady, Valerious Bradshaw, Walter J. Bardshaw, Harry Brandstetter, Jesse R. Buterbough, Charles E. Byers, Peter F. Byrne, John Callaghan, Stephen L. Conley, Barney W. Craig, Lewis E. Croy, James G. Davis, George Dean, and James B. Kinsey.*

Attached to Company G, 19th Infantry.—Privates *James T. Addreddell, Joseph H. Allen, Charlie Alles, Elmer E. Anderson, Charles G. Anderson, Frank G. Anderson, Alfred S. Ambrust, Bert F. Atwell, Cornelius I. Barrows, Arthur B. Cornelison, William Dille, Edward W. Getrost, James T. Jones, and John F. Kell.*

Attached to Company H, 19th Infantry.—Private *Patrick Benson.*

Attached to Company K, 19th Infantry.—Private *George C. Dochart.*

Attached to Company M, 19th Infantry.—Privates *Edward Kirkpatrick, John Livingston, and George H. Pulmer.*

Now on detached service.—*Alexander McBirnie*, 17th Infantry, attached to Company M, 19th Infantry, orderly at division headquarters; *Bishop, Cook, and Lyons*, 17th Infantry, attached to Company H, at division headquarters.

Sick in hospital at Ponce, Porto Rico.—*Alonzo C. Dobbins*, 17th Infantry, attached to Company E, 19th Infantry.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Acting Hospital Steward *Robert H. Bailey*, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Clarence A. Ihle*, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Edward A. Gifford*, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *Samuel E. Grosch*, Fort Myer, Virginia;

Private *Fred H. Griffith*, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Private *Ernest G. Simpson*, Fort Keogh, Montana;

Acting Hospital Steward *Arthur T. Hall*, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *William W. Mahan, jr.*, Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas;

Private *Frank E. Shepard*, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *Eugene E. Ledbetter*, Fort Bliss, Texas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Moris Neuman*, Troop A, Corporal *Edward J. Kierce*,

Privates *Mike Anselmo* and *John Formento*, Troop E, and Private *Myron W. Kimball*, Troop M, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Harvey Woodruff*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Squire Hudson*, Troop L, 10th Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Francis J. Shewman*, Battery H, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Edward McGrory*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *John B. Scott*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Moris Rosenbaum*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Craton O. Bailey* and *Clarence B. Smith*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort Washington, Maryland;

Privates *Edward B. Lyons* and *Bernard J. Newman*, Battery D, 4th Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *Will M. Hurst*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Herbert B. McGuckin*, Battery L, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

Private *Robert A. Truit*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *John J. Lawler*, Battery G, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *George Rose*, Company L, 2d U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Edward L. Bamrick*, *Arthur W. Carten*, and *Charles Conway*, Company G, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Porter, New York;

Private *Frank R. Purviance*, Company I, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Ignatius E. Bogucki*, Company K, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Michael J. O'Leary*, Company K, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. The following-named enlisted men attached to Light Battery D, 5th U. S. Artillery, now in Porto Rico, are transferred to that battery:

Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery.—Privates *James Hoach*, *Frank Hunt*, *Fred Rose*, *Phillip Wilkom*.

Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery.—Privates *George B. Cummings, Centenial C. Cunningham, Daniel Dwyer, Eugene J. Egan, Ernest A. Hood, James H. Kilroy, William McClosky, John McDonald, William H. Mautius, John F. Sullivan, John Wallace, Henry J. Weiss, and Charles H. Wolff.*

Light Battery F, 2d Artillery.—Privates *Alfred Chaplean, George A. Emerson, Jeremiah J. Frawley, Karl S. Herrmann, Dexter C. Loud, John A. Molton, and John Scannell.*

41. Private *James Settlers*, Company H, 25th Infantry, now at Fort Logan, Colorado, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop F, 9th Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Florry Sullivan*, Battery H, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

43. Recruit *Henry Kramer*, unassigned, 5th U. S. Infantry, now in confinement at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, for desertion, is restored to duty without trial upon condition that he make good the time lost by unauthorized absence. He will be sent to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding officer of the detachment of the 5th U. S. Infantry on duty at that post.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William R. Rutledge*, Battery K, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Constitution, New Hampshire, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis Gerhardt*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Company, 7th Army Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alonzo M. Thayer*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division Hospital, 7th

Army Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John M. Logan*, Battery I, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William A. Riley*, Company E, 8th U. S. Infantry, now sick at General Hospital, Camp Wikoff, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Kenneth G. Kincaid*, Hospital Corps, now at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, is detailed as acting hospital steward. He will report to the Commanding General, Department of the Columbia, for assignment to duty.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Lawrence Justin* and *Lloyd Hathorn*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

51. Paragraph 21, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *Willie Pate*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward T. Robinson*, General Service, now at the recruiting station, No. 1316 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

53 By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick W. Perkins*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, now supposed to be at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Stephen Ray*, Company G, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United

States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Edward F. Barrett, jr., James L. Cary, George F. Collette,* and *William J. Maby*, Hospital Corps, now at Watervliet Arsenal, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles M. Harris*, Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Clifton F. Heuse*, Battery M, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

Private *William C. Howard*, Battery L, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Robert F. Rea*, Company H, 10th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Robert C. Miller*, Company A, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Corporal *Thomas H. Horton, jr.*, and Private *Charles S. Wandling*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph Gleason*, Company G, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First-class Private *Byron J. Hunt*, Company F, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Sergeant *Mark E. Smith*, Company A, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeants *Edward Geis, Charles A. Smith*, Company A, and *Samuel M. Painter*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Leonard Untermeyer*, Company H, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Charles C. Plumb*, Company A, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Mike Welken*, *Charles H. Chambers*, *William H. Gray*, *Perry F. Hyatt*; Privates *Lafayette B. Grant* and *David M. Caffall*, Company D, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George R. White*, 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *J. Coleman Motley*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Harry H. Lichty*, Company K, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Charles E. Boys*, Band; *Paul A. Gardner*, Company D; *Carleton F. Gardner*, Company E; *G. E. Holcomb*, Company H, and Corporal *J. W. McEwan*, Company I, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Arthur Broderick*, Company A, and *Joseph Loewi*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lewis J. Robinson*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *Lucius Wood*, Company H, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *F. L. Wilson*, Company D, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First Sergeant *Frank J. Rice*, Company L, Sergeants *James A. Baird*, Company A, and *E. E. Hoss*, Company F, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Harry B. Millikan*, 27th Light Battery, Indiana Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Howe D. McCollom*, Company G, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Arthur Hofheimer*, Company H, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Harold Standish*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Hugh B. Mills*, Company I, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles Gussey*, Company I, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George H. Lawrence*, Company I, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles H. McGahan*, Company E, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George Stivers*, Company B, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Henry W. Kennard*, Company —, 5th Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Gordon L. Brown*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *Charles Bader* (appointed October 15, 1898, from Sergeant, Troop D, 6th Cavalry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

Commissary Sergeant *Charles W. Simesen* (appointed October 15, 1898, from Sergeant, Company F, 17th U. S. Infantry), now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, to Camp Graham, Tybee Island, Georgia.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charlton B. Turner*, Company L, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Guy Holland*, Company K, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Victor Desbouillons*, Company K, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Herbert S. Candlish*, Company E, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Walker Wood*, Company A, *A. Gilmer Swanson*, Musician *Ernest Lapointe*, Company G, Corporal *Frank L.*

Moses, Company K, and Private *Darby Burgin*, Company L, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank A. Paddock*, Company E, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *A. T. Janin*, Company E, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James W. Mays*, Company F, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

74. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James Wood, jr.*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Harry Huhn*, Company —, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George P. Mason*, Company M, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Otto*

Kreig, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *L. E. Lockhart*, Company D, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *George M. Carpenter*, Company D, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *C. J. Wernheimer*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Embree A. Easley*, Company K, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

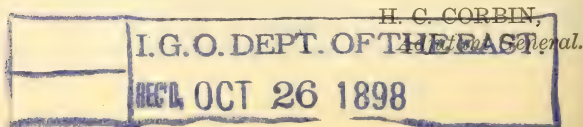
Privates *George L. Barnes*, *Hobert H. Vann*, Company A; Musician *James B. Ritch*, Company E; Corporals *Robert L. Gregory*, Company G; *John E. Ellis* and *Reuben T. Johnston*, Company K, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Dudley N. Condit*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, now at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Philip R. Ward*, 7th Artillery, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer under the direction of Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, at New York City, and will report to the commanding officer, Fort Slocum, New York Harbor, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:



SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 249.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, October 21, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, a court of inquiry is ordered to meet in Boston, Massachusetts, October 26, 1898, at the request of 1st Lieutenant *Jeremiah G. Fennessey*, Regimental Quartermaster, 9th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, to investigate certain allegations made in the public press of Boston as to his conduct between July 1, 1898, and September 1, 1898, copies of which will be referred to the court.

The court is directed to make a statement of facts found and to express an opinion on the merits of the case.

Detail for the court.

Lieutenant Colonel *Tully McCrea*, 5th Artillery;

Major *Carle A. Woodruff*, 2d Artillery;

Captain *Edward T. Brown*, 7th Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Edward H. Catlin*, 2d Artillery, recorder.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. The Secretary of War directs that Corporal *J. B. Mudge*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, detained by illness in hospital at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, be sent as soon as he is convalescent to his home at Council Bluffs, Iowa, there to await the muster out of his company. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, and the Subsistence Department commutation of rations at the prescribed rates.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *W. B. Bassell*, now in this city, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon arrival to the commanding general at that place for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Graham D. Fitch*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 215, September 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

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5. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *J. Y. Mason Blunt*, 3d Cavalry, Quartermaster of the Leiter U. S. Army General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, will make an inspection of all unserviceable medical property at that hospital, with a view to its final disposition by sale or destruction, in accordance with such instructions as he may receive from the Surgeon General of the Army.

6. The travel from Carlisle, Pennsylvania, to Huntsville, Alabama, performed by 2d Lieutenant *Hugh R. Miller*, 10th U. S. Infantry, on official business, under orders from this office to join his regiment, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry C. Ward*, 16th Infantry, now at Omaha, Nebraska, will make an inspection of certain unserviceable property of the Signal Corps, now stored in the grounds of the Omaha Exhibition, for which Captain *Asbery W. Yancey*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is responsible, with a view to its sale or destruction, in accordance with such instructions as may be communicated to him by the Chief Signal Officer of the Army.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Daniel M. Taylor*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits during the month of November, 1898, from Springfield Armory, Massachusetts, to the works of the Colt's Patent Fire Arms Manufacturing Company, Hartford, Connecticut, on official business pertaining to the inspection of revolvers in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of that duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Champe C. McCulloch, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now at West Tampa Hospital, Florida, is relieved from further duty with the 4th Army Corps, and will return to his proper station, Fort Barrancas, Florida. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations of officers of the Medical Department are made:

Major *Francis J. Ives*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from temporary duty at Willets Point, New York, and will proceed to Fort Hamilton, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for temporary duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East, to relieve Major *Ogden Rafferty*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

Major *Rafferty* on being thus relieved will return to his proper station, Willets Point, New York.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Llewellyn P. Williamson*, U. S. Army, is extended one month.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Norton Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, is relieved from further duty at Chicago, Illinois, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Charles D. Rhodes*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, and changed to a leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability, in Special Orders, No. 218, September 15, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Leonard D. Wildman*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. R. Tackett*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Mobile, Alabama, and on arrival there will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, is detailed for duty in addition to his other duties, as a member of the board of officers appointed by paragraph 41, Special Orders,

No. 211, September 7, 1898, and paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 223, September 21, 1898, from this office, to meet at the Army Building, New York City, to make regulations for the government of troops on transports, *vice* Colonel *Charles Bird*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, hereby relieved:

17. The leave of absence granted Major *George B. Rodney*, 4th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 215, September 20, 1898, Department of the East, is extended two months.

18. The leave of absence for twenty days heretofore granted Captain *John H. Fuchsius*, assistant surgeon, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended five days.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William S. Righter*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

20. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Benjamin B. Golden*, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is extended fourteen days.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William McC. Johnston*, surgeon, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Colonel *John S. Caudler*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 23, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Samuel Diehl*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Leslie R. Groves*, U. S. Army, will upon the expiration of his sick leave of absence proceed to join his proper station, Vancouver Barracks, Washington. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

Major *Constant Williams*, from the 17th U. S. Infantry to the 19th U. S. Infantry;

Major *Lyster M. O'Brien*, from the 19th U. S. Infantry to the 17th U. S. Infantry.

25. Under instructions from the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring board is appointed by the Secretary of War, to meet at the earliest practicable date, at the call of the President thereof, at San Francisco, California, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it.

Detail for the board.

Lieutenant Colonel *Johnson V. D. Middleton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Major *David H. Kinzie*, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Captain *Sedgwick Pratt*, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Captain *Henry C. Danes*, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Captain *Thomas U. Raymond*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *David J. Rumbough*, 3d U. S. Artillery, recorder.

26. Under instructions from the President, Captain *Louis P. Brant*, 1st U. S. Infantry, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Johnson V. D. Middleton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet at San Francisco, California, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward C. McDowell*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will, in addition to his present duties at Chattanooga, Tennessee, relieve Captain *Moses G. Zulinski*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, of his duties in charge of clothing at Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Captain *Zulinski*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed *via* this city, to Savannah, Georgia, and assume charge, under instructions of the Quartermaster General, of the construction of hospital building at that place.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *P. S. Fiehl*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, and will proceed to Baltimore, Maryland, and report by letter to the Surgeon

General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public Service.

29. By direction of the President, Major *Henry C. Davis*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of that regiment only, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

30. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *George J. Austin*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

31. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Carl Fischer Hansen*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect October 25, 1898.

32. Leave of absence for three months is granted 2d Lieutenant *Tiemann N. Horn*, 2d U. S. Artillery.

33. The leave of absence granted Captain *Henry H. Austin*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, on surgeon's certificate of disability, in Special Orders, No. 130, October 14, 1898, from Headquarters 7th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

34. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles T. Pollard*, assistant surgeon (now Major and surgeon) 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 32, September 21, 1898, Department of Santiago, on surgeon's certificate of disability, is extended one month on account of sickness.

35. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Morgan F. Knadler*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 93, current series, from Headquarters 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Adrian S. Polhemus*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Knoxville, Tennessee, and will proceed to St. Francis Barracks, Florida, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Gulf. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles F. Bates*, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is extended one month.

38. First Lieutenant *John H. Parker*, 13th U. S. Infantry, will proceed upon the expiration of his present sick leave to Montauk Point, New York, on official business pertaining to the disposal of public property at that place for which he is accountable, and upon the completion of this duty will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James M. Kennedy*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present leave of absence, will proceed from this city to Griffin, Georgia, and report in person to the chief mustering officer at that place, for duty pertaining to the muster-out of Georgia volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *David B. Wilson*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, on the expiration of his present leave of absence, will proceed to Boston, Massachusetts, and assume the duty of Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, to relieve Major *John McE. Hyde*, Quartermaster's Department, from that duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. Leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *George S. Grimes*, 2d Artillery.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Mihran K. Kassabian*, Hospital Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of Hospital Train, Atlanta, Georgia. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas J. Kirkpatrick, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, is relieved from duty at Fort Douglas, Utah, and will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William F. Lippitt, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, is relieved from duty at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and will proceed to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post, for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Hamilton P. Jones*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to New Orleans, Louisiana, and report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Colonel *Henry E. Noyes*, 2d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 98, September 21, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

47. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Fine W. Smith*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 93, September 17, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Frederick T. Leigh*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, in Special Orders, No. 36, September 26, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 77, Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Vernon J. Hopper*, U. S. Army, is amended to read "Acting Assistant Surgeon *Vernon J. Hooper*, U. S. Army."

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, as directs Major *Francis J. Ives*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed from New York City to Willets Point, New York, for temporary duty, is amended so as to direct him to proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Willets Point, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. The following transfers are made in the 7th U. S. Artillery:

First Lieutenant *Willoughby Walke*, from Battery F to Battery H;

First Lieutenant *Elmer W. Hubbard*, from Battery H to Battery F.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Preston Avera*, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia;

Private *Charles M. James*, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Oscar F. Hall*, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Horace C. Benedict*, Camp Wikoff, New York;

Private *George E. Cann*, Fernandina, Florida;

Privates *Edward Grossman*, *William L. Johnson*, and *William L. Redditt*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Privates *Albert N. Austin*, *Paul E. Reider*, *William A. Sargent*, *Edward Shannon*, *Charles A. Stover*, and *Thomas E. Wyatt*, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Privates *Carl R. Ahroon*, *John N. Fahnestock*, *Robert M. Fee*, *Charles Gudbrandsen*, *Fred H. Renard*, and *William A. Stanley*, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Privates *William Ahmuty*, and *John H. Coffal*, Anniston, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Harry Knight* and *James McGee*, Troop F, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Keogh, Montana;

Private *Joel O. Yates*, Troop K, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Privates *William E. Jackson*, *Jerome M. Smith*, *Ray McCargar*, *Herman Podlick*, *Ernest A. Thomas*, *Charles R. Robinson*, *William L. Wallace*, *Knute Sandbeck*, *Jessie Mc-*

Cargar, and *Allen L. Waite*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, San Francisco, California.

Private *William H. Oliver, jr.*, Troop A, 5th U. S. Cavalry, Porto Rico.

Private *Forrest Buckley*, Troop C, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James Feeley*, Battery M, 3d U. S. Artillery, Fort Stevens, Oregon;

Private *Joseph Bochnicek*, Company A, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Corporal *Frank Mayer*, Company H, 5th U. S. Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *James J. Sparr*, Company D, 15th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Brice S. Holdman*, Company F, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Patrick P. Owens*, *Timothy O'Connell*, and *Thomas Vickers*, Company F, and *Ralph Cunningham*, and *John William Montgomery*, Company L, 17th Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Sandy Eagear*, Company C, 19th U. S. Infantry, Porto Rico;

Privates *Charles Mays*, *Bernard H. Lubbring*, Company D, and *Charles Damler*, Company M, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William P. Lister*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be sick in St. John's Hospital, Brooklyn, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John A. Fitzgerald*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Schuyler, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Willis S. Richey*, Company —, 2d U. S. Infantry, now sup-

posed to be at Camp Wikoff, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry R. Mennecke*, Troop G, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William E. Baumeister*, Troop B, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ralph Smith*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Edward Bennett*, Troop B, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Guy L. Warson*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, No. 528 Hawthorne street, Dayton, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert Von Schilgen*, Troop H, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be sick in hospital at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will for-

ward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Way*, Company B, 14th U. S. Infantry, now at Dyce, Alaska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Gallagher*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 240, October 11, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Fred L. Sprague*, Company F, 20th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John E. Lane*, Company B, 7th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at No. 813 I street NW., in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War. Private *John H. Riddle*, Troop I, and *Joseph C. Nesbitt*, Troop K. 3d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, are transferred to the Hospital Corps as privates. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order them to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Grabowski*, Company E, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States on December 7, 1898, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Frank Small*, Company D, and *George E. Hillenbrand*, Company I, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio,

will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named privates of the 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, are transferred to the Hospital Corps:

James R. Gillespie, Company I; *George W. Johns* and *Charles McGinnis*, Company L; *John J. Berger*, Company M, and *James R. McCleskey*, Company —.

Upon receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order them to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

71. Private *Albert K. Kuhlcke*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company B, 21st U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Plattsburg Barracks, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter Latang*, Hospital Corps, now at 1st Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, is transferred to Huntsville, Alabama. He will be sent to that station and will report upon his arrival to the commanding general at that place for duty.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Adam J. Reitz*, Battery A, 6th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Fort Clinch, Florida, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George W. Baird*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from this city to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to pay the 2d Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, Majors *Clifford S. Walton* and *John W. Fogler*, additional paymasters, U. S.

Volunteers, will proceed, under the direction of Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, to Baltimore, and such other points in Maryland as may be necessary, to make payments on muster out to the 5th Maryland Volunteer Infantry. Each paymaster will be accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation, by express, for such funds as may be necessary for these payments to such points as the paymasters may direct. On completion of these payments, the officers named will return to their proper station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James T. Chase*, 1st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Duncan C. Lee*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *R. O. Haubold*, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;
Second Lieutenant *Frank C. McGinley*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

79. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *William C. Doane*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, is extended seven days.

80. The leave of absence for ten days granted 1st Lieutenant *G. S. Ralston*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 64, 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, October 9, 1898, is extended seven days.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, Majors *Thomas C. Lebo*, 6th Cavalry, and *Joshua L. Fowler*, 10th Cavalry, are detailed as members of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, for service therewith during the examination of captains only, *vice* Major *William D. Beach*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 3d U. S.

Cavalry), and Captain *John F. Stretch*, 10th U. S. Infantry, who will resume their seats on the board during the examination of Lieutenants.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion of their examination will return to their proper stations or to the places of receipt by them of this order:

Major *Eugene D. Dimmick*, 5th Cavalry, promoted from Captain, 9th Cavalry, subject to examination;

Major *Joel T. Kirkman*, 16th Infantry, promoted from Captain, 10th Infantry, subject to examination;

Major *Charles G. Penney*, 8th Infantry, promoted from Captain, 6th Infantry, subject to examination (Lieutenant Colonel and Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers);

Major *William H. H. Crowell*, 6th Infantry, promoted from Captain, 6th Infantry, subject to examination;

Captain *Earl D. Thomas*, 5th Cavalry Major and Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers);

Captain *Henry W. Sprole*, 8th Cavalry;

Captain *Edward A. Godwin*, 8th Cavalry (Colonel, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry);

Captain *Alexander Rodgers*, 4th Cavalry Lieutenant Colonel, 3d Connecticut Volunteers);

Captain *Walter S. Schuyler*, 5th Cavalry (Colonel, 203d New York Volunteers);

Captain *Samuel L. Woodward*, 10th Cavalry;

Captain *Henry P. Kingsbury*, 6th Cavalry;

Captain *Frank West*, 6th Cavalry;

Captain *John F. Stretch*, 10th Infantry;

Captain *William P. Rogers*, 17th Infantry;

Captain *James A. Goodin*, 7th Infantry, aid-de-camp, promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 7th Infantry, subject to examination;

First Lieutenant *Lester W. Cornish*, 5th Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Elmore F. Taggart*, 6th Infantry;

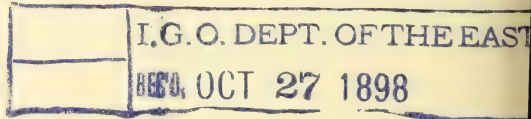
First Lieutenant *James M. Arrasmith*, 2d Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles D. Clay*, 17th Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Frederick L. Palmer*, 21st Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Carl Reichmann*, 9th Infantry (Captain
 and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers);
 First Lieutenant *Frank O. Ferris*, 1st Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *George W. Ruthers*, 8th Infantry (Major
 and Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers);
 First Lieutenant *Leon S. Roudiez*, 1st Infantry (Major and
 Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers).

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 250. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 22, 1898.

1. Private *Wilson Cole*, Troop K, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for seven days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *John B. Schoeffel*, 9th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

3. Paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 245, October 13, 1898, from this office, directing 1st Lieutenant *George J. Hardy*, 9th New York Volunteers, to join his regiment, is amended so as to direct 1st Lieutenant *James T. Hardy*, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry, to proceed without delay to New York City and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the President, the following-named officers, U. S. Volunteers, are honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 1, 1898, their services being no longer required:

Lieutenant Colonel *John Jacob Astor*, Inspector General;
Captain *Frederick M. Alger*, Assistant Adjutant General;
Captain *James H. McMillan*, Assistant Quartermaster;

Lieutenant Colonel *Astor* and Captain *McMillan* will proceed to their homes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *E. L. Hess*, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

6. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles O. Brokaw*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 231, paragraph 60, September 30, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

7. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *John J. Lamborn*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

Adj. General

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to their proper stations, or to the places of receipt by them of this order:

Captain *Edward Z. Steever*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Frederick Perkins*, 8th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Maury Nichols*, 7th U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank L. Polk*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will repair from Porto Rico to this city, accompanied by his authorized clerk, for the purpose of settling his accounts. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. By direction of the President, Captain *Frank L. Polk*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 20, 1898, his services being no longer required.

11. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Carter P. Johnson*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 101, September 24, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

12. First Lieutenant *Arthur W. Orton*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now on leave of absence on account of sickness, will, on November 1, 1898, proceed from Atlanta, Georgia, to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding officer of his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William W. Bryant*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective

names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Claud C. Manees* and *Arthur Sullivan*, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Privates *Thomas B. Goodman*, *Charles J. Lester*, and *James A. Miller*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Theodore J. Schlesselman*, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Albert L. Gustetter*, Fernandina, Florida;

Private *Fred L. Albritton*, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Privates *David Howell*, *Mallery Hall*, *Charles Boblett*, *Edward Travis*, and *M. T. Heaton*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Bernard Livingston*, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *James M. Read*, Ambulance Company, 1st Division, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Thomas Connely*, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Frank H. Ryder*, Camp Wikoff, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *William White*, Company I, 20th Infantry, is revoked.

16. Private *John J. Moran*, Company F, 15th U. S. Infantry, now with the 23d U. S. Infantry at Manila, Philippine Islands, is transferred to that regiment.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herbert H. Jones*, Company I, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at his home, 34 Robinson street, Binghamton, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. Private *Frederich M. Barth*, Troop C, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the 15th U. S. Infantry at that station.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Monie Fink*, Troop G, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Louis Belle*, Company L, 19th U. S. Infantry, Porto Rico;

Private *Herbert A. Weir*, Company —, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. Private *William I. Schmehl*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is, upon his own application, transferred to Battery D, 3d U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

21. Private *Adam H. Aadler*, 1st U. S. Cavalry (unassigned), now supposed to be at Fort Riley, Kansas, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop H, 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Wells*, Battery C, 4th U. S. Artillery, now on duty at the Recruiting Station, No. 104 West Fayette street, Baltimore, Maryland, is transferred as private to the General Service and assigned to duty at that station.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Schulz*, Hospital Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Maical Ollendorff*, Troop D, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Sidney W. Young*, Hospital Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of Hospital Train. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William A. McDonald*, Battery B, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Hiltonhead, South Carolina, will be discharged without

honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Claude S. Rardin*, Troop D, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William M. Mack*, Battery A, 6th U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Eugene Turcot* (appointed October 20, 1898, from Sergeant Major, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry), now at Fort Omaha, Nebraska, will report by letter to the Quartermaster General for instructions.

30. Private *Harry Swainey*, Company H, 1st U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Anniston, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company G, 6th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Thomas, Kentucky. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

31. Corporal *Horace T. Henry*, Troop C, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Du Chesne, Utah, is upon his own application transferred to Company C, 25th U. S. Infantry (as private), and will be sent to the station of that company, San Carlos, Arizona Territory. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter S. Baker*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort Wadsworth, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *John J. Camac*, Company H, 4th Infantry, now at Fort

Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Newton Golden*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, 235 East Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the General Hospital, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 215, September 12, 1898, from this office, as directs the discharge of Private *Charles C. Spear*, Hospital Corps, by the commanding officer, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is amended so as to direct the surgeon in charge of the General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, to discharge the man.

36. Private *Robert E. Getz*, U. S. Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, having been tried and found guilty of larceny, to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, by a general court-martial convened at West Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be dishonorably discharged the service of the United States, forfeiting all pay and allowances due him, and to be confined at hard labor for three (3) months under charge of the post guard.*" The sentence was approved October 18, 1898, and will be duly executed.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Irving G. Caldwell*, Company L, 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry, now at Cincinnati, Ohio, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Rollin S. Stiles*, Company B, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Knoxville, Tennessee. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

39. Private *Joseph D. Cash*, Troop L, 7th Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company B, 15th Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company at Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

40. Private *Frank D. Howard*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, now at U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to Battery G, 7th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery at Fort Warren, Massachusetts. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *John McGuire*, Ordnance Detachment, Watertown Arsenal, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Sergeant *William N. Milne*, Company B, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred as a private to the 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Jacksonville, Florida. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles L. Harrison*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, now supposed to be at his home, St. Johns, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States. The discharge papers will be forwarded to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John G. Ballance*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, in compliance with General Orders, No. 166, October 13, 1898, from this office, will proceed from Knoxville, Tennessee, to Macon, Georgia, via Galesburg, Illinois. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles F. Cook*, Company F, 19th U. S. Infantry, now on duty

with the mustering-out officer for Michigan volunteers, will be discharged the service of the United States by Captain *R. J. C. Irvine*, 11th U. S. Infantry, 1330 Majestic Building, Detroit, Michigan. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *Reuben M. Rose*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

First Lieutenant *Edward W. Jones*, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 1, 1898.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Henry W. Parker*, Adjutant, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service as such, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date, to enable him to accept an appointment as 1st Lieutenant in the 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Rogers Birnie*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, having reported to the Adjutant General of the Army, as directed in paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 117, headquarters 7th Army Corps, October 1, 1898, will proceed, on October 25, 1898, from this city to Jacksonville, Florida, *via* Savannah, Georgia, and resume his duties as chief ordnance officer, 7th Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. Private *William R. Barr*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to Battery B, 2d U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, at Fort Adams, Rhode Island. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named privates of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Sam D. Cartlidge, *Wesley Dale*, *Albert S. Zimmerman*, and *James E. Harvel*, Jacksonville, Florida;

Delbert E. Boblett, *Asher D. Beardmore*, and *George F.*

Baker, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, and *F. C. Kennard*, the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

William W. Lynn, *Ernest A. Fannin*, and *William C. Schnell*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Jacob Portugaloff and *John L. Green*, Anniston, Alabama;

Thomas E. Ridgeway, Fort Ringgold, Texas;

Harvey J. Masteller, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Royal E. Wight and *Gay E. Wight*, Fort Niagara, New York;

Alexander C. Burton, Jacksonville, Florida;

George L. Kente, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Bert P. Fannon, Camp Otis, Honolulu.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William G. Lail*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Ellis M. Headley*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Edward F. Carter*, Troop F, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Keogh, Montana;

Private *Fletcher A. Whitaker*, Troop F, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James C. Miller*, Battery C, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Privates *Albert J. Wheeler* and *Albert Rieber*, Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Schuyler, New York;

Privates *Alec M. Cameron*, Company B, and *August G. Wrege*, Company F, 2d U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *John E. Parsons*, Company F, and *Mathew H. Wyatt*, Company H, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *James D. Graves*, Company H, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Cornelius M. O'Boyle*, Company E, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Thomas Casson*, Company —, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

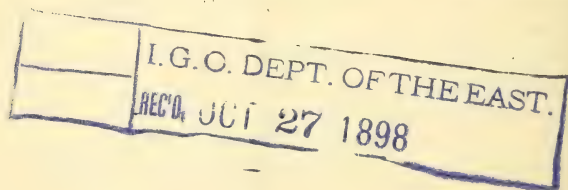
These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Coulling*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now in New York City, New York, is appointed a special inspector, under paragraph 878 of the Regulations, to inspect coal on the Quartermaster's transports "Massachusetts," "Mobile," and "Mohawk," and for this purpose will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Bath, Maine, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

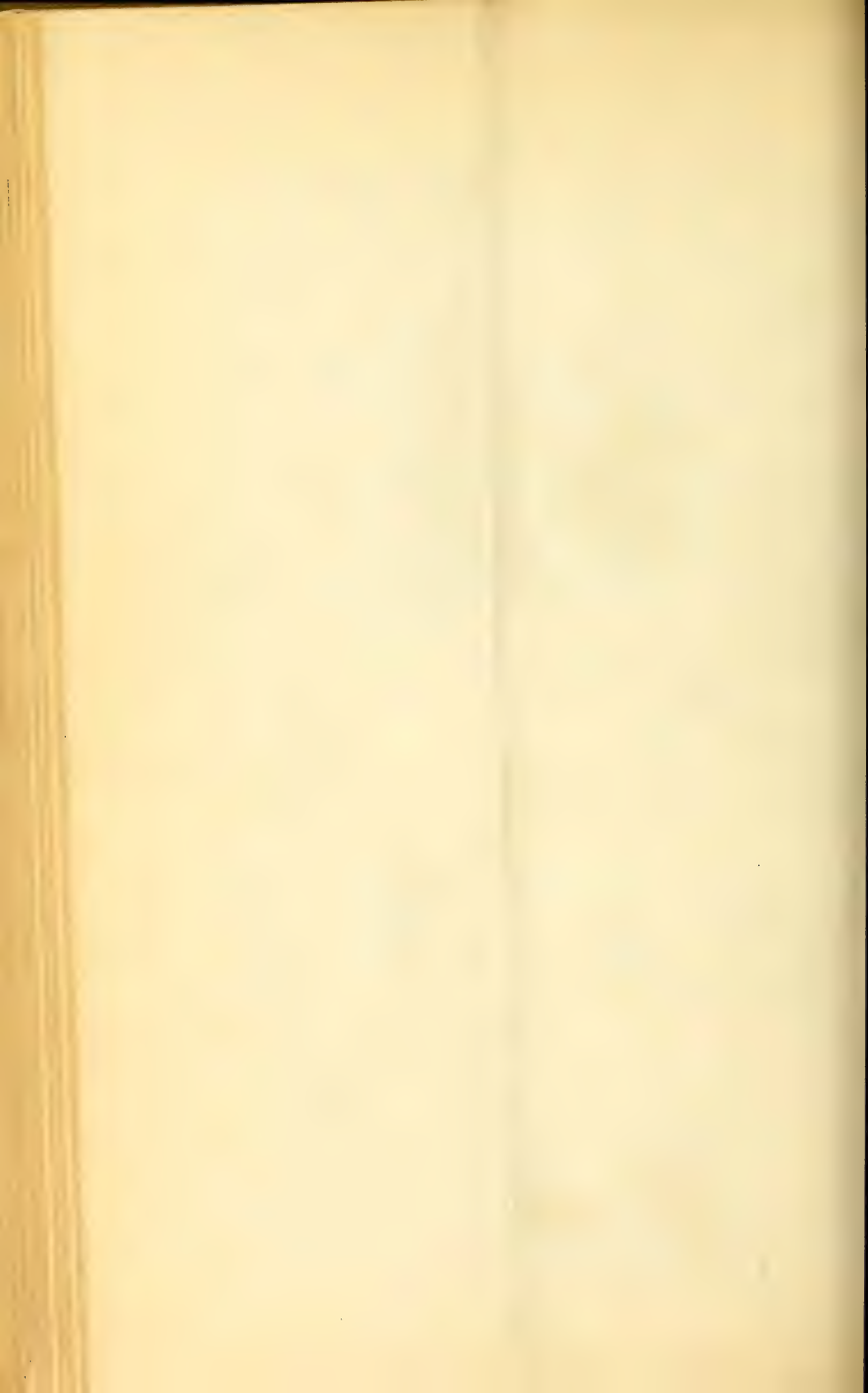
53. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas S. Lowe*, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 251.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 24, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *E. M. Griffin*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now in this city, will be sent to Silver City, New Mexico, and will upon his arrival there assume charge of the military telegraph office at that station, reporting to the commanding officer, Fort Bayard, New Mexico.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for six days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *W. W. Mahan*, Hospital Corps, Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Crowley*, Hospital Corps, Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John A. Emerick, jr.*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, now supposed to be at his home, 316-321 Stephen Girard Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Benjamin H. Pope*, Company —, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, now supposed to be at his home, Chevy Chase, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James H. Brooks*, Hospital Corps, Fort Mott, New Jersey, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that station.

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7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William L. Senft*, Company G, 16th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that station.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Miller*, Company C, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, now supposed to be at his home, Frostburg, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Stephan Lindl*, Battery E, 3d U. S. Artillery, Fort Mason, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 70, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges Captain *Howard A. Giddings*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, from the service of the United States, to take effect November 1, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 1, 1898.

11. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 50, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges 2d Lieutenant *McKee Dunn McKee*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, from the service of the United States, to take effect October 31, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 8, 1898.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Robert Craig*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Santiago, and thence to Guantanamo, Baracoa, and Sagua de Janamo, Cuba, in order to examine and report fully upon the extent and condition of the telegraph lines in the Department of Santiago, the availability of timber supplies in the country for their reconstruction and other essential points connected with the reconstruction of such lines as are necessary for military purposes, and, on the completion of these journeys, will return to Santiago, and await further orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Winfield M. Clark*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, now on leave of absence, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the Gulf and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Paymaster General of the Army for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Benjamin Johnson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in addition to his present duties at Lexington, Kentucky, will relieve Major *Leon S. Roudiez*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of his duties as Depot Quartermaster at that station.

15. Major *Charles Morton*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, recently promoted from Captain, 3d U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Fort Walla Walla, Washington, and join that portion of the 4th U. S. Cavalry stationed at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. The leave of absence granted Chaplain *Welford D. Weaver*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 99, current series, Camp George H. Thomas, Georgia, is extended one month on account of sickness.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ralph W. Hoyt*, 11th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to New York City and report in person to Major *Folliot A. Whitney*, 6th U. S. Infantry, for assignment to recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Martin M. Marshall*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Anniston, Alabama, will proceed to Atlanta, Georgia, and report in person to Colonel *Edward E. Dravo*, Subsistence Department, Chief Commissary, Department of the Gulf, and Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty as an assistant in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry F. Hoyt*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, on completion of his attendance before the commission to investigate the conduct of the War Department in the war with Spain, is relieved from further duty at Anniston, Alabama, and will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the

commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. The leave of absence granted Captain *E. G. Dufour*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 103, September 17, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

21. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James A. Moss*, 24th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Eugene W. Van C. Lucas*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Beverly W. Dunn*, Ordnance Department, will proceed from Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Sandy Hook Proving Ground, Sandy Hook, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the test of experimental fuses for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the President, Captain *Erskine Hewitt*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 21, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. Second Lieutenant *Louis H. Gross*, 6th U. S. Infantry, will be discharged from further medical treatment at the post hospital at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and will resume the sick leave of absence granted him in paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 197, August 22, 1898, from this office.

26. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles W. Conner*, 1st West Virginia Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 223, paragraph 41, September 20, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

27. The following transfers are made in the 10th U. S. Cavalry, to take effect this date:

Captain *Guy Carleton*, from Troop L to Troop G;

Captain *William E. Almy*, from Troop G to Troop L;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas A. Roberts*, from Troop L to Troop G.

28. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles R. Evans*, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness, by the commanding officer of his regiment, from September 27 until October 19, 1898, is approved.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 87, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, as directs 2d Lieutenant *Louis H. Bash*, 13th Infantry, to report for examination for promotion before the board at Governors Island, New York City, is revoked.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Madison Barracks, New York, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *William H. Powell*, 9th U. S. Infantry;

Major *Jesse M. Lee*, 9th U. S. Infantry;

Major *Thomas Wilhelm*, 21st Infantry;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *William W. Calhoun*, U. S. Army;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Alexander L. Ladd*, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Joseph Frazier*, 9th Infantry, recorder.

Such journeys as Major *Wilhelm* may be required to make between his station and Madison Barracks and return, in attending the meetings of the board, are necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Colonel *William H. Powell*, 9th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board, appointed to meet at Madison Barracks, New York, by Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion:

First Lieutenant *Wendell L. Simpson*, 14th Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Henry D. Styer*, 13th Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John P. Finley*, Quartermaster, 9th Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas F. Dwyer*, 9th Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Louis H. Bash*, 13th Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Anton Springer, jr.*, 21st Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Harry F. Rethers*, 9th Infantry.

Upon the completion of their examinations, Lieutenants *Styer*, *Bash*, and *Springer* will return to their proper stations. Lieutenant *Bash* will report for examination upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, or at such time as he may be able to travel. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Eugene T. Wilson*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, and Lieutenant Colonel *William L. Alexander*, Subsistence Department, is revoked.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 74, Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, relating to Major *Albert D. Niskern*, Subsistence Department, and Lieutenant Colonel *Henry B. Osgood*, Subsistence Department, is revoked.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eugene T. Wilson*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now in St. Louis, Missouri, will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Henry B. Osgood*, Subsistence Department, of his duties at that place, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Lieutenant Colonel *Osgood* on being thus relieved will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Albert D. Niskern*, Subsistence Department, now in this city, will proceed with his two authorized clerks to St. Louis, Missouri, and relieve Lieutenant Colonel *William L. Alexander*, Subsistence Department, of his duties of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at that place, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Major. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. Leave of absence until August 28, 1899, on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted by the Secretary of War to Cadet *Dennis H. Currie*, 2d Class, U. S. Military Academy.

37. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Carver Howland*, 4th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

38. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Louis H. Bash*, 13th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 218, September 23, 1898, Department of the East, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Robert Sewell*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 99, September 22, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles S. Stern*, U. S. Army.

41. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Arthur S. Conklin*, 7th Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

42. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Lawrence B. Simonds*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

43. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George P. Ahern*, 25th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 101, September 24, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

44. Leave of absence from September 6, 1898, to December 1, 1898, on account of sickness is granted Captain *Montgomery M. Macomb*, 7th Artillery.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Henry I. Raymond*, brigade surgeon,

U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 104, September 27, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month and five days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles J. Kenworthy*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to Jacksonville, Florida, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 83, Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, is amended so as to direct Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, to report to Captain *Robert M. Rogers*, 2d U. S. Artillery, chief mustering officer for the State of Maine, at Augusta, Maine. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 53, Special Orders, No. 238, October 8, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Alexander McF. McMaster*, U. S. Army, is amended to read Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frederic D. MacMaster*.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Walter Howe*, 4th U. S. Artillery, chief mustering officer, Niantic, Connecticut, is appointed a Special Inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, for the purpose of inspecting unserviceable quartermaster's property which may be submitted to him by Captain *John P. Wisser*, 7th U. S. Artillery, Acting Assistant Quartermaster.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Hugh J. Gallagher*, Subsistence Department, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Augusta, Georgia, will make not to exceed one journey per month, on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department, from Augusta, Georgia, to Greenville, Spartanburg, Columbia, and Summerville, South Carolina, and upon completion of this duty will return to his station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *B. F. Welty*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *A. L. Jones*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Herbert T. Marable*, Company B, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Enoch S. McKnight*, Company H, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank Aldenderfer*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Matthew Benn*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John Carr*, Company M, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank Nenkert*, Company L, 1st New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Archibald A. Simon*, Company A, and *James M. Finley*, Company —, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James Wallbanks*, Company L, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel E. Allen*, 5th U. S. Artillery, in addition to his present duties will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred A. Woodhull*, Deputy Surgeon General, commanding Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, for duty as Assistant Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence at that hospital, to relieve Captain *John W. McHarg*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties.

Captain *McHarg*, on being thus relieved will proceed at once via this city, to Savannah, Georgia, and assume charge of

the construction of hospital building at that place, under instructions of the Quartermaster General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles E. Russell*, 7th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Aniston, Alabama, and report in person to Brigadier General *Gilbert S. Carpenter*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations of officers of the Medical Department are made:

First Lieutenant *William H. Wilson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, and from temporary duty at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and, on the completion of his examination for promotion, will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the East, for assignment to duty in charge of the hospital recently established on Bedloes Island, New York Harbor, to relieve 1st Lieutenant *Louis P. Smith*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

Lieutenant *Smith*, upon being thus relieved, will return to his proper station, Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in stations and duties of officers of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps are made:

Lieutenant Colonel *George O. Squier*, chief signal officer, 4th Army Corps, temporarily on special duty in New York City, will proceed to and take station at Washington, District of Columbia, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, of his special duties relating to the muster out of the 5th and 7th U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps Companies, and will make such journeys from Washington, District of Columbia, to Chicago, Illinois, and return, as may be necessary in the performance of his duties.

Lieutenant Colonel *Reber*, upon being thus relieved, and when relieved of his duties under the direction of the Major General Commanding the Army, will proceed, as soon after November 1, 1898, as possible, to Knoxville, Tennessee, and

report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty as chief signal officer, 1st Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James S. Kennedy*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. The leave of absence granted Major *Hernan D. Money, jr.*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 32, September 21, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Norton Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will report in person upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, in this city, by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Christian Briand*, Quartermaster, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 40, September 30, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended four days.

61. Leave of absence for seven days is granted Brigadier General *Chambers McKibbin*, U. S. Volunteers.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Henry P. McCain*, 14th U. S. Infantry, now sick in San Francisco, California, will proceed to Vancouver Barracks, Washington, for such medical treatment at that post as may be necessary in his case. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. Leave of absence for fourteen days from October 18, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank A. Wilcox*, 1st Infantry.

64. The leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles L. Bent*, 7th U. S. Infantry, by ap-

proval of the Commanding General, Department of the East, October 4, 1898, is extended two months on account of sickness.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 27, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *Moses G. Zalinski*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, to proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and assume charge of the construction of hospital building at that place, is revoked.

Captain *Zalinski*, on being relieved from duty by Captain *Edward C. McDowell*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. First Lieutenant *Bloomfield Usher*, Company E, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to Fort Wadsworth, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for assignment to duty with Battery L, 6th U. S. Artillery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *W. N. Vilas*, surgeon, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect November 1, 1898.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

Major *William M. Van Horne*, from the 22d U. S. Infantry to the 8th U. S. Infantry;

Major *Charles G. Penney*, from the 8th U. S. Infantry to the 22d U. S. Infantry.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months is granted Colonel *George H. Burton*, Inspector General, U. S. Army.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. H. Walker*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and report in person to Major *David C. Peyton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for duty pertaining to the medical supervision of sick soldiers

in the Philadelphia hospitals. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George M. Smith*, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Major *Joseph M. Kelley*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Merritte W. Ireland*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on expiration of his present leave of absence, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 80, April 6, 1898, from this office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *Isaac N. Lewis*, 7th U. S. Artillery, now 6th U. S. Artillery, to return to Fort Wadsworth, New York, after each visit, is amended so as to direct him to return to Washington, District of Columbia, after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. The travel from New York City, New York, to Ponce, Porto Rico, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeons *Frank J. O'Hara* and *Timothy Leary*, U. S. Army, and their assignment to duty at the latter place, under telegraphic instructions from the office of the Surgeon General of the Army, about August 27, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank Roberts*, U. S. Army, will accompany Battery I, 2d U. S. Artillery, when that battery proceeds to Porto Rico or Cuba.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Junius L. Powell*, surgeon, U. S. Army, having reported in this city in compliance with orders from Major General *S. B. M. Young*,

U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, will proceed to Augusta, Georgia, and assume the duties of superintending the construction of the division hospital to be erected at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Junius G. Sanders*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Denver, Colorado, and will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to Major *Robert S. Smith*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, for duty and station, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *S. W. Parish*, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 7, 1898.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Timothy E. Wilcox*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Schuyler, New York, and from further duty in New York City, New York, pertaining to the muster out of New York volunteers, and will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, commanding 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as chief surgeon of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas C. Avery*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Atlanta, Georgia, and on arrival there will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Francis A. Winter*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on completion of his duties pertaining to the muster out of Connecticut volunteers, will return to his proper station, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John R. Devereux*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort

Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles C. Marbury*, U. S. Army, on completion of his duties pertaining to the closing of the Leiter U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 9, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Champe C. McCulloch, jr.*, assistant surgeon U. S. Army, is revoked.

86. By direction of the President, Captain *Grant R. Bennett*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Clarence K. La Motte*, Company M, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Henry Kothe*, Company H; *Charles E. Lockwood*, Company I; *Patrick Hussion* and *Nathan Methal*, Company K, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James H. Duley*, Company B, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James S. Gibson*, Company A, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

88. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John E. Cahill*, Company D, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Arthur G. Hall*, Company A, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

89. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Charles Beck*, Company B, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Hugh W. Walker*, Corporal *George H. Jocelyn*, Privates *John Campbell*, *Jack Cramer*, *James Jarvis*, Troop D; *Charles C. Blake*, Troop E; *John H. Manson* and *Eric A. Anderson*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *W. F. Howland*, Company I, 1st North Carolina Voluntary Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

90. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Winfred A. Lamprey*, Company D, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

91. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Jacob Rechsteiner*, Company A, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

92. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Mark P. Hines*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Cassius F. Hurd*, Company G, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Cephas F. Shook*, Corporals *J. R. Smathers*, Company H, and *Walter C. Houchins*, Company C, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

93. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *J. D. Welton*, Company G, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

94. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Frank Van Valkenburgh*, Privates *Ernest Harper* and *John C. Denson*, Company A, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

95. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 73, Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Nat C. Hickey*, Company B, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, is revoked, and the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Nat C. Hickey*, Company B, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

96. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Marion M. Mackmillin*, Battery A, Connecticut Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

97. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Richard S. Claiborne*, Company G, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

98. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Daniel T. Baine*, Company B, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

99. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Oswald O'Hagan*, Company B, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

100. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George Geist*, Company I, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

101. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *W. H. Daffron*, Company B, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

102. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Verna R. Day*, Troop H, 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry;

Chief Musician *John S. M. Zimmermann*, Band, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank D. Poplar*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

103. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William H. Worthen*, 10th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Sergeant *Hugh Thrift*, Company —, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert W. McAdams*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Charles W. Smith*, Company M, and Private *George B. Wells*, Company G, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

104. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William Grey*, Company G, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Charles Peters*, Company E, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeants *Howe Springer*, Troop E, *John A. Jackson*, Troop F, Privates *Calvin B. Weimer*, Troop D, and *Samuel P. Kenison*, Troop K, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Sergeant *Joseph F. Neel*, Company E, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Charles S. Cox*, Troop H, 1st Illinois Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *Thomas W. Callen*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

105. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Clyde B. Anthony*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

106. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Richard N. Brown* and *Eugene H. McClellan*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Spencer E. Bomar*, Company F, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 252.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, October 25, 1898.

1. Leave of absence for one month from October 11, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Edward Skeel*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

2. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William S. Hart*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 111, current series, 7th Army Corps, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

3. By direction of the President, and in accordance with section 1260, Revised Statutes, and the acts of Congress approved May 4, 1880, and August 6, 1894, 1st Lieutenant *Charles H. Cabaniss, jr.*, U. S. Army, is detailed by the Secretary of War for service as professor at Delaware College, Newark, Delaware.

4. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Arthur R. Joyce*, Adjutant, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 20, October 11, 1898, Headquarters 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *George B. Duncan*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 24, October 8, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles F. Kieffer*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will on or about the first day of November, 1898, proceed to New York City, and report in person to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer, for duty pertaining to the muster out of service of New York volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *David A. Lyle*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed two visits from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to the works of the Penn Iron Company, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspec-

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tion of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Tracy C. Dickson*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed fifteen visits from Springfield Armory, Massachusetts, to the works of the Winchester Repeating Arms Company, New Haven, Connecticut, during the months of November and December, 1898, on official business pertaining to the inspection of Winchester rifles in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Walter A. Bethel*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Artillery), is relieved from duty as aide-de-camp on the staff of Brigadier General *Oswald H. Ernst*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed to West Point, New York, and report in person for duty to the Superintendent, U. S. Military Academy. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *John H. Estill, jr.*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, the ordinary leave of absence granted Major *Benjamin Alvord*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 109, current series, 7th Army Corps, is changed to leave of absence on account of sickness and extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

12. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Alexander M. Miller, jr.*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month and fifteen days on account of sickness.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles J. T. Clarke*, 10th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Griffin, Georgia, and report in person to the chief mustering officer for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary, and ordnance officer in connec-

tion with the muster out of service of volunteer troops from the State of Georgia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the President, the following named officers of U. S. Volunteers are honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, their services being no longer required:

Captain *James G. Blaine*, Assistant Adjutant General;
 Captain *Edward Murphy*, 2d, Assistant Adjutant General;
 Captain *Samuel W. Belford*, Assistant Adjutant General.

They will proceed to their homes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. Under instructions from the President, 2d Lieutenant *William D. Forsyth*, 19th U. S. Infantry, is transferred by the Secretary of War to the 5th U. S. Cavalry, Troop B, and will join that troop upon its arrival in Porto Rico.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Major *Robert E. L. Michie*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

17. Leave of absence for four months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *William W. Galbraith*, 5th U. S. Artillery, aid-de-camp.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for six months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *John Robertson*, 6th Infantry.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the 5th U. S. Cavalry are relieved from mustering duty, to take effect at the earliest practicable date, and will proceed to join their regiment:

Captain *Edwin P. Andrus*;
 First Lieutenant *James J. Hornbrook*;
 First Lieutenant *Jesse McL. Carter*;
 First Lieutenant *Melvin W. Rowell*.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898,

from this office, as relates to Private *Charles Miller*, Troop E, 3d Cavalry, is amended to read Private "*Charles E. Miller*, Troop B, 3d Cavalry."

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *John H. Sharp*, 5th U. S. Infantry, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ira S. Sage*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at his home, Cleves, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

23. Privates *Dot Gaston*, Company D, and *William M. Van Dyke*, Company —, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, are transferred to the 7th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

24. Private *Fred F. Ackrly*, Company G, 15th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, who deserted January 3, 1894, and identified while serving as *William J. Ackrly* in Company H, 8th U. S. Infantry, is restored to duty without trial upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. He is transferred to Company H, 8th U. S. Infantry, to serve the remainder of his original enlistment.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *James W. Reeves*, Company M, 20th Infantry, is amended to read Company M, "23d Infantry."

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *Orazio Perrone*, Company —, 13th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry is revoked.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Horatio A. Perrone*, Hospital Corps, San Francisco, Cali

fornia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at Des Moines, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the mustering officer at that station:

Privates *Thomas W. Berkley, Orrin E. Stanley, Harry L. Swafford, Olaf S. Amdahl, Ernest A. Bursell, Fred Chamber, Howard C. Ebersole, Clarence H. Hall, E. Mallon, P. B. Snelson, Alba J. Seeley, Wm. H. Thomas, Ernest E. Wands, Chas. M. Best, Edward A. Sherman, Henery L. Aiken, Jesse W. Bell, John W. Cathcart, Lewis M. Cave, Robert Hamilton, John E. Johnson, Walter R. Pritchard, Chas. N. Sullivan, Tasso R. Summers, Wm. Woodward, and John Woods, jr.*

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 58, Special Orders, No. 240, October 11, 1898, from this office, is amended to read Private *Morris Lyons*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, instead of "*Lyons Morris*," Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles P. McClure*, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Rudolf Deutl*, U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," 39 Whitehall street, New York, New York;

Private *Thomas A. Morris*, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Privates *Edmond Byers, Gus Williams, and Charles Dewees*, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Privates *Thomas E. Simpson, Louis D. Wadsworth, Martin C. Kersh, William Mohrmann, and Walton W. Kirksey*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Walter K. Knight*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Privates *Atticus M. Snow and Eden C. Walker*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph R. Gardner, jr.*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, now at his home, 2054 Franklin street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by his commanding officer, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Allison Jones*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Troy, New York.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Edward Mallory*, Company L, 12th U. S. Infantry, is amended to read "*Edward Malloy.*"

34. Private *Gilbert L. McInturff*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort Myer, Virginia. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Abraham K. Arnold*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the 7th Army Corps, and is assigned to the command of the Cavalry Brigade, 4th Army Corps. He will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and assume command of that brigade. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. Privates *Peter A. Walsh* and *George O'Donald*, Company D, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, having complied with the instructions contained in Special Orders, No. 230, October 13, 1898, headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, will return to that station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

37. Captain *John W. Miller*, 3d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, when discharged from further treatment in the Garfield Memorial Hospital, this city, will proceed to Kansas City,

Missouri, and join his regiment for muster out therewith. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Carey Congdon*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 118, September 20, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Edgar B. Robertson*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Humphrey Bate, jr.*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. D. Dabney*, U. S. Army.

42. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Morton F. Smith*, 20th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 218, September 15, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. B. Mohr*, U. S. Army, is amended to refer to "Acting Assistant Surgeon *Harry C. More*, U. S. Army."

44. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *John C. McArthur*, 3d Infantry.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frederic T. Stetson*, 3d U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and report in person to Captain *Edwin P. Andrus*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary and Ordnance Officer, in connection with the muster out of service of volunteers from the State of Wisconsin. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James M. Bell*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, to take effect on expiration of his present sick leave of absence, with station in Baltimore, Maryland. He will proceed to Baltimore at the proper time and relieve 1st Lieutenant *Charles Miller*, 16th U. S. Infantry, receipting to him for all Government property for which he is responsible. Lieutenant *Miller* upon thus being relieved will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles J. Goff*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster, at that place, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quartermaster's steamer "Minnewaska," relieving Major *James L. Wilson*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties.

Major *Wilson*, on being thus relieved, will proceed without delay to Savannah, Georgia, and assume his duties as Chief Quartermaster, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, as provided in General Orders, No. 171, October 21, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Lawrence W. H. Peyton*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 117, current series, Headquarters, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Sam F. Bottoms*, 6th U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service with station at Rochester, New York, to date November 1, 1898. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Walter A. Thurston*, 16th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to join that regiment upon his muster out as Lieutenant Colonel, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month, to take effect upon his muster out of the Volunteer service, is granted Captain *Walter A. Thurston*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Albert Hartsuff*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Adjutant General of the Army for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 78, Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges from the volunteer army of the United States, Major *William H. Arthur* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as chief surgeon of volunteers, to take effect October 31, 1898, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Claude B. Sweezey*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Brigadier General *Richard Comba*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the President, paragraph 36, Special Orders, No. 245, October 17, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Harry S. New*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

56. By direction of the President, and in accordance with section 1260, Revised Statutes, and the acts of Congress approved May 4, 1880, and August 6, 1894, Colonel *Albert P. Morrow*, U. S. Army, is detailed by the Secretary of War for service as professor at East Florida Seminary, Gainesville, Florida.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *George Smart*, Privates *Richard J. Horrocks* and *Stephen H. Burke*, Company A; Sergeant *Frederick J. Downes*, Company B, and Private *John A. Ellis*, Company M, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporals *Harry Debus* and *John W. Brewer*, Company I, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John J. Donohue*, Company H, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *William Lewis Holt*, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 10, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respecting commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Alfred E. Tong*, Company E, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *C. D. Lynch*, Battery B, Georgia Volunteer Artillery;

Sergeant *John Arthur Johnson*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Gustav Reichman*, Company K, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Julius C. Fisher*, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jasper M. Beall*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Percival S. Hatch*, Company C, 23d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edwin P. Irwin*, Company H, 22d Kansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *M. S. Kyzer*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *J. L. Little*, Company I, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Lewis S. Benjamin*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *S. T. Manpin*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles S. Terry*, Company G, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *William Chenoweth*, Company K, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeants *George S. Brantley* and *Mitchell P. House*, Company M; Privates *Ben B. White*, Company B, and *Thomas A. Bradley*, Company I, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Archie J. Nalls*, Company F, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James Ryan*, Company M, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John J. Blesing*, Company C, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Charles F. Browne*, Company A, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Fred W. Baumgras*, Company E, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward A. Vaughan*, Company K, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Edward McDonald*, Company H, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Harry Gundsheimer*, *George F. Behringer, jr.*, *Harry Williams*, *Timothy James O'Leary*, *George W. David-*

son, and Charles C. Totten, Company B; Charles S. Torrey, James F. Mitchell, and Adolph Krembel, Company C; Sergeant Otto Hustn, Company D; Privates William J. Eustace, Company E, Charles Platner, jr., Company F; Sergeant G. W. Preece, Privates Patrick Monaghan and Edward Landaur, Company I; Privates Frank Avery, Otto Bierman, George F. Breining, Otto D'Elseaux, Edward M. Blake, and Edward Griffin, Company M, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

71. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant Harry M. Coursen, Battalion Adjutant, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 124, September 26, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

72. The travel from New York City, New York, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and to this city, and from thence to Bath, Maine, and return to New York City, New York, performed by Captain William M. Coulling, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

73. Private John Gormley, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, having been tried and found guilty of drunkenness on duty, in violation of the 38th Article of War, by a general court martial convened at West Point, New York, and evidence of previous convictions having been received by the court, was sentenced, "*To be dishonorably discharged from the service of the United States and to forfeit all his pay and allowances.*"

The sentence was approved October 24, 1898, and will be duly executed.

74. Private Alfred Miller, U. S. Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, having been tried and found guilty of desertion, in violation of the 47th Article of War, by a general court-martial convened at West Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be dishonorably discharged from the service of the United States, to forfeit all pay and allowances, and to be confined at hard labor under charge of a guard for a period of six months.*"

The sentence was approved October 24, 1898, and will be duly executed at the station of his detachment.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Fort Logan, Colorado, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 7th U. S. Cavalry);

Major *Curtis E. Munn*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *Mott Hooton*, 25th U. S. Infantry;

Major *Alfred C. Markley*, 24th U. S. Infantry;

Acting Assistant Surgeon *John A. Murtagh*, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Marcus D. Cronin*, Adjutant, 25th U. S. Infantry, recorder.

Such journeys as General *Sumner* and Majors *Munn* and *Markley* may be required to make between their stations and Fort Logan, and return, in attending the meetings of the board, are necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Logan, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations:

Major *George W. H. Stouch*, 20th Infantry, promoted from Captain, 3d Infantry, subject to examination (Major and Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers);

Captain *Charles H. Noble*, 16th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Washington I. Sanborn*, 25th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Charles A. P. Hatfield*, 4th U. S. Cavalry;

Captain *Martin B. Hughes*, 9th U. S. Cavalry;

Captain *Frederick K. Ward*, 1st U. S. Cavalry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Wellington A. Harner*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edwin P. Barnes*, 6th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *Melvin Landers*, Company B, and Sergeant *Joseph A. Patton*, Company G, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *B. T. Snyder*, Company H, 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *J. D. Newton*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Merton E. Brewer*, Company B; Sergeant *William H. Dorr*, Company F; Quartermaster Sergeant *W. O. Kelly*, Privates *John W. Willis*, *Allan R. Scott*, and *Charles Smith*, Company L, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Lieutenant Colonel *William S. McCaskey*, 2d U. S. Infantry;

Major *George H. Torney*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *Jacob A. Augur*, 4th U. S. Cavalry;

Major *James Miller*, 20th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Benjamin L. Ten Eyck*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *William H. H. Chapman*, 20th U. S. Infantry, recorder.

Such journeys as Captain *Ten Eyck* may be required to make between his station and Fort Leavenworth, and return, in attending the meetings of the board, are necessary for the public service.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *William S. McCaskey*, 2d Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board for examination as to their fitness for promotion:

Captain *Jerauld A. Olmsted*, 9th U. S. Cavalry;

Captain *William H. Beck*, 10th U. S. Cavalry;

Captain *Henry Seton*, 4th U. S. Infantry;

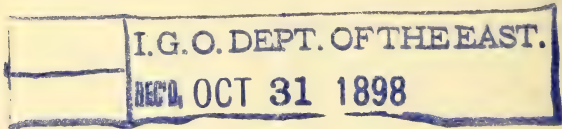
Captain *George H. Palmer*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

Upon the completion of the examination, Captain *Palmer* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order, and the other officers named will return to their proper stations.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 253.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, October 26, 1898.

1. Private *Henry Morrison*, Company A, 3d U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his regiment, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for three days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Sergeant *Patrick Daly*, Company B, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, having complied with the instructions contained in Special Orders, No. 230, October 13, 1898, headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, will return to that station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles J. Fromberg*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 18, September 5, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

4. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Campbell E. Babcock*, 12th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Willard Young*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, will proceed from Montauk Point, New York, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania; Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, and Savannah, Georgia, on official business pertaining to his regiment, and on arrival at Savannah he will report to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Benjamin W. Atkinson*, Quartermaster, 6th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

Adjutant General

7. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Oscar J. Charles*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 92, September 16, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William L. Alexander*, Subsistence Department, having reported to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, in compliance with paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is assigned to duty as an assistant to the Commissary General of Subsistence, and while on such duty shall continue to have the rank of Colonel.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Calvin H. English*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 12, current series, 3d Army Corps, is further extended to include October 3, 1898, on account of sickness.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Glen N. Mills*, Company C, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon in charge of the 1st Division Field Hospital, 3d Army Corps, at that place for duty.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *R. P. Hale*, Hospital Corps, now at Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *George W. Johns*, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Privates *Horace J. Sloan* and *Harry B. Bates*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Private *Joseph Hallbauer*, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Otto E. Rydell*, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Harry L. Cullum*, Jacksonville, Florida.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Dasey*, Troop L, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Troop L, 5th U. S. Cavalry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier, prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Ernest M. Johnson*, Company D, 20th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *H. W. Kennard*, Hospital Corps, Fernandina, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. First Lieutenant *Otho B. Rosenbaum*, Quartermaster, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Logan, Colorado, under medical treatment, will proceed to Fort Wayne, Michigan, and join his regiment, and he is authorized to delay ten days *en route*. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. Captain *Matthias W. Day*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, recently mustered out as Lieutenant Colonel, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, will proceed to join the 9th U. S. Cavalry on or before December 1, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Mack Richardson*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 122, October 6, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *W. G. Barney*, Adjutant, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *H. P. Shupe*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

20. Leave of absence for one month, from October 4, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Halstead Dorey*, 4th U. S. Infantry.

21. The leave of absence granted Captain *Frank A. Johnson*, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 61, August 17, 1898, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, is extended to include August 30, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *William W. Quinton*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, to report to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, this city, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, is revoked.

23. A board of officers to consist of—

Major *Samuel Q. Robinson*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *Lawrence C. Carr*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Captain *Robert S. Woodson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Santiago, Cuba, for the examination of such officers of the Medical Department as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

The junior officer will act as recorder, and the professional examinations will be conducted under such special instructions as the board may receive from the Surgeon General of the Army, through whom the reports of the board will be forwarded to the Adjutant General of the Army.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William W. Quinton*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will report in person to Major *Samuel Q. Robinson*, surgeon, U. S.

Army, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Santiago, Cuba, by Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Sergeant *Aug Schneider*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now in this city will be sent to Boston, Massachusetts, and will report upon his arrival there to Major *G. W. S. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, mustering officer, for special duty. Upon completion of this duty he will return to his station in this city.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

26. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Alfred C. Merillat*, 3d Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 223, September 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Gordon Voorhies*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 17, September 21, 1898, 3d Army Corps, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

28. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles H. Muir*, Adjutant, 2d Infantry, in Special Order, No. 93, September 17, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Mathew E. Saville*, 10th Infantry, will proceed to Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, and report in person to Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer at that place, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary and ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of Arkansas volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Colden L'H. Ruggles*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, now on duty at the Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will make one visit during each of the months of

October and November, 1898, to the works of the U. S. Cart-ridge Company, Lowell, Massachusetts, on official business pertaining to the manufacture of ordnance material for the Ordnance Department, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert W. Guiler*, U. S. Army, having reported to the Surgeon General of the Army, will proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles K. Osgood*, Company G, 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred as a private to Battery C, 1st Maine Heavy Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Augusta, Maine. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men are transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, and will report to Captain *Frank E. Lyman, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty, viz:

First-class Private *Edwin L. Stewart*, Company H, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, at Lexington, Kentucky, as a 1st class private;

Private *Frank H. Wright*, Company G, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, now at Lexington, Kentucky, as a 1st class private;

Private *John H. Dalbey*, Company A, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at Lexington, Kentucky, as a 1st class private.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Corporal *Offin P. Hackett*, Company G, 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred as a private to Battery B, Maine Heavy Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Augusta, Maine. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Horace Myers*, Company C, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce,

Porto Rico, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report to the chief surgeon for duty at that place.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel A. Barley*, Battery A, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. Foster*, Company G, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Angel Island, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Hughes*, Company H, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *John W. Crahan*, Company F, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. Hall*, Battery A, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis F. Geer*, Company A, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report to the chief surgeon for duty at that place.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Stephenson*, Troop I, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the hospital the commanding officer will order him to duty at the hospital.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Luke J. Dyser*, Battery A, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Herman Harbers*, now at Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will, as soon as his services are no longer needed there, be sent to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and will report to the attending surgeon in this city for temporary duty.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George C. Kensley*, Battery B, 1st California Volunteer Artillery, now at Fort Baker, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Lee Rains*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward. He will report for duty to the surgeon in charge of that hospital.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred Turner*, Battery M, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Grovers Cliff, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George F. St. John*, Hospital Corps, attached to the 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Houston Hogan*, Troop A, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in the hands of the civil authorities, serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

50. Private *Fred C. Burks*, Band, 16th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to the Band, 2d U. S. Cavalry, at that station. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Benjamin H. Campbell*, Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Privates *James F. Dale*, Troop I, and *William H. Myers*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry;

Private *George W. Obie*, Troop K, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Thomas L. Settlemyer*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Corporal *James Clark*, Company D, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Chris E. Moritz*, Company M, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Isaac G. Gray*, Battery I, 7th U. S. Artillery, now with his battery at Fort Slocum, New York, having satisfactorily explained to the Department that his true name is *Irvine G. Gordon*, will be borne under the latter name on all rolls, returns, etc., of his command after this date.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert S. Miller*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Austin W. Kleinsmid*, Company M, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. Private *John Seiber*, Band, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is, upon his own application, transferred to the Band, 13th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that organization, Fort Porter, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Martin J. Cavanagh*, Hospital Corps, now at field hospital, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 84, Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Joseph E. Toole*, Hospital Corps, is revoked.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph E. Toole*, Hospital Corps, now at the Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 46, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Commissary Sergeant *James B. Whaley*, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, is revoked.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *August Nieman*, now at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, will be sent to Santiago, Cuba. He will report for duty upon his arrival to Major *A. D. Niskern*, purchasing and depot commissary at that place.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Waleur*, Company A, 6th U. S. Infantry, now in the General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkan-

sas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of the General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles E. Cox*, Company B, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wingate, New Mexico, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John M. Gibbons*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery Fort Washington, Maryland;

Private *Norbert Frohnappfel*, Band, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Charles A. Meadows*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel pay.

64. The extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *Charles Byrne*, 6th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is changed to an ordinary leave of absence from October 26, 1898, and further extended ten days.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Joshua W. Jacobs*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now in New York City, New York, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the President and in accordance with section 1260, Revised Statutes, and the acts of Congress approved May 4, 1880, and August 6, 1894, 1st Lieutenant *David D. Johnson*, U. S. Army, is detailed by the Secretary of War for service as professor at St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *William Gammon*, assistant surgeon, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, to take effect October 29, 1898;

Captain *Harry D. Fowler*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *H. B. Cowart*, 3d Alabama Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 1, 1898.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *E. S. Dougherty*, Troop B, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Howell C. Harris*, Company A, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *C. S. Pittman*, Company G, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Everett M. Bryant*, Company F, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Robert G. Calder* and *Robert Neptune*, Company M, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Andrew Tanner*, Company L, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William Brokaw Bamford*, Company L, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

74. The following-named enlisted men of Company I, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, now at Sea Girt, New Jersey, are, upon their own applications, transferred to Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldiers and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

Privates *Timothy E. Casey*, *Frank B. Schoonoven*, *Charles Wander*, *Frederick Claus*, *John Fesq*, and *Louis Claus*.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry D. Hamilton*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 27, 1898.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 63, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Charles Willcox*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is revoked. Captain *Willcox* will remain on duty with the 5th U. S. Cavalry.

77. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *O. P. Barber*, surgeon, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 124, September 26,

1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended fourteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Edwin D. McArthur*, Corporal *Richard C. Glaser*, Wagoner *Walter W. Hamilton*, Privates *James F. Robinson*, *Ernest Smith*, *Ira A. Hodson*, *Leonard C. Robinson*, *James H. Langley*, *George A. Borday*, *Ray G. Allen*, *Charles A. Jones*, *Russell F. Sutherland*, *Basil W. Curtum*, *William H. Cofield*, *Mowry Bates*, *Harry F. Brown*, *William C. Coffey*, *Sandy M. Gamson*, *William G. Kurz*, Troop A, and *William O. Ash*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

79. Private *James M. Wood*, Troop G, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company E, 8th U. S. Infantry, at that station. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

80. Private *William C. Stone*, unassigned, Light Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to the 2d U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama.

81. Private *George E. Hedgepeth*, Battery F, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Tybee Island, Georgia, is, upon his own application, transferred to Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Washington, Maryland. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

82. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post:

Acting Hospital Steward *Albert J. Greenwood*;

Privates *Carroll D. Boyden*, *Arthur Collins Stewart*, *Franklin M. Dana*, *Herbert H. Beeman*, *Henry W. Coutermarsh*,

Cyrus J. Alexander, Fred N. Gokey, Samuel H. Graham, Le-Grand Germond, Benjamin E. French, William Hunter, Edwin W. Haskell, Perley E. Holmes, Thomas J. Hagan, James Fitzgerald, Charles H. Rickert, William A. Stevens, Willard K. Stoddard, Arthur Welch, and Walter J. White.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

83. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Cornelius Forsyth*, Company E, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

84. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles Wintermeyer*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

85. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur G. Richardson*, Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, Fort Riley, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

86. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alonzo S. Roberts*, Hospital Corps, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

87. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Farrier *Samuel A. Glover*, Privates *Benjamin F. Loux, Jesse F. Modie*, Troop A; *Adolph A. Olsen*, Troop C; *James H. Patterson*, Troop F; Sergeant *Levi S. Tenney*, Privates *Earl B. Allen, Arthur Smith, John D. B. Rogers*, and *Stephen H. Fotheringham*, Troop I, and Corporal *Cornelius A. Snyder*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

88. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles Keegan*, Company F, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

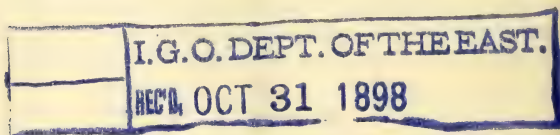
89. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James R. Camac*, Company —, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James F. Archer*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, and will proceed to Fort Caswell, North Carolina, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick Schaub*, Company E, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. 254.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 27, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, Cadet *Jerome G. Pillow*, 2d Class, U. S. Military Academy, is granted leave of absence on account of ill health until August 28, 1899, to then join the 2d class.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Leopold Stocker*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now supposed to be at Camp Wikoff, New York, is transferred to Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery. He will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *William Peake* (appointed October 24, 1898), now supposed to be at Fort Clinch, Florida, is assigned to duty at that post.

4. The leave of absence granted Captain *William H. Cobb*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability, in Special Orders, No. 41, October 1, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following assignments of officers to regiments, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, are announced:

Colonel *John H. Patterson* (promoted from Lieutenant Colonel, 22d U. S. Infantry), to the 20th U. S. Infantry, to date from September 28, 1898, vice *Hawkins*, appointed Brigadier General, U. S. Army;

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles Porter* (promoted from Major, 5th U. S. Infantry), to the 22d U. S. Infantry, to date from September 28, 1898, vice *Patterson*, promoted. He will proceed to join his regiment upon the expiration of his present sick leave. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Captain *Granger Adams* (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 5th U. S. Artillery), to the 7th U. S. Artillery, Battery I, to date from September 19, 1898, vice *Simpson*, appointed Major, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Andrew Hero, jr.* (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 4th U. S. Artillery), to the 5th U. S. Artillery, Battery L, to date from September 19, 1898, vice *Adams*, promoted.

Adj. General

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *J. Walker Benét*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Buffalo, New York, to Sandy Hook Proving Ground, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Thomas M. Woodruff*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 28, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

8. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Hamilton A. Smith*, 3d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from his office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for twenty days is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Robert E. Bell*, U. S. Army.

10. Leave of absence for ten days is granted Captain *Horatio G. Sickel*, 7th U. S. Cavalry.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Lafayette A. Dorrington*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, will report to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri, Omaha, Nebraska, for temporary duty.

12. Private *Thomas Ashcom*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *José Lugo-Viña*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on the first steamer sailing for Ponce, Porto Rico, and on arrival there will report to the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, San Juan, Porto

Rico, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. Second Lieutenant *Archie J. Harris*, 2d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty at the General Hospital, Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *G. Manning Ellis*, assistant surgeon, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 1, 1898;

First Lieutenant *G. W. Hendricks*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

16. The leave of absence granted Captain *H. R. Smith*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 24, current series, 1st Army Corps, is extended ten days.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward R. Hutchins*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to duty as Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Tampa, Florida, *vice* Major *Albert D. Niskern*, Subsistence Department, assigned to duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the Subsistence Depot, St. Louis, Missouri, in paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office.

18. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Alfred M. Hunter*, 4th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, and amended in Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ransom Wilson*, Hospital Corps, now at his home, 807 Main street, Buffalo, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Corps Reserve Hospital, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edwin W. Hurlbut*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will proceed, accompanied by his authorized clerk, with the first detachment, 5th U. S. Cavalry, to Porto Rico. Captain *Hurlbut* is assigned to duty as

Commissary of that detachment, and upon arrival in Porto Rico will report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for assignment to duty as Brigade Commissary.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Mayer B. Dodek*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred W. Cropp*, Company F, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel J. Carroll*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Washington, Maryland, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Moran*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *David Evans*, Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George D. Clark*, Battery A, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at St. Francis Barracks, Florida, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant

Michael J. McAdams, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Greble, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Oscar M. Bachstetz*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 7th Army Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States on November 4, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank L. Yeager*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. Sergeant *Theodore Frede*, Company L, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Meade, South Dakota. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lucius S. Jacob*, Hospital Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred C. Chace*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick A. Shank*, Hospital Corps, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas McClairn*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, now on sick furlough at Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, will be

discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Sam Houston, Texas, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles F. Kees*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. Private *Ladislaus Szily*, Detachment Light Artillery Recruits, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to the 3d U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, for assignment to a troop.

37. Musician *Walter A. Rogers*, Battery E, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Wadsworth, New York, is transferred to the Governors Island Band. He will be sent to the station of that organization, Fort Columbus, New York, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *James Grady*, Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Arthur E. Furgison*, Battery M, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Michael Mendel*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Jakė Podganski*, Company L, 1st U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Lawrence S. Rose*, Hospital Corps, Coamo, Porto Rico;

Private *Patrick Collins*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *V. O. Saunders, jr.*, Troop G, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. Private *George I. Taylor*, Company D, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, is transferred to the 7th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles I. Evans*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel J. McGrath*, Troop H, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Seiward J. Norton*, Battery I, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at recruiting station, Aurora, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of that station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George H. Bruckner*, Company B, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at his home, 389 Dean street, Brooklyn, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Uppenkamp*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Reuben H. Cook*, Company C, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herman F. Hoffman*, Company G, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, now at Fort Clark, Texas, is transferred to the Hospital

Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

48. Private *Smith D. Martine*, Company F, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is transferred to the 7th U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Wayne, Michigan, for assignment to a company.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Leo E. Kennedy*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Levensohn*, Company D, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

51. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *James N. Pickering*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 26, September 30, 1898, 3d Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

52. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Bertram C. Gilbert*, 2d U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 206, September 1, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Evan Miles*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 183, August 5, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

54. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Tompkins McIlvaine*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 8, September 26, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

55. Private *George H. Patten*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Montauk Point, Long Island, is trans-

ferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps as a 1st class private. He will report to Captain *Ambrose Higgins*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that place, for duty.

56. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Bert H. Merchant*, 8th U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 94, September 18, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

57. The leave of absence granted Captain *Levi P. Hunt*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from the assignments made in General Orders, No. 166, October 13, 1898, from this office, and they are assigned as follows:

Major *Earl D. Thomas*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Major General *Adna R. Chaffee*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Division, 4th Army Corps, for duty as Inspector General of that division;

Major *Harry C. Benson*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Brigadier General *Royal T. Frank*, commanding 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, for duty as Inspector General of that division.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 24, Special Orders, No. 238, October 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Benjamin T. Lanham*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia, is amended to read "Acting Hospital Steward" *Benjamin T. Lanham*.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James B. Aleshire*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from his present duties at Chicago, Illinois, and will proceed at once to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Acting Chief Quartermaster of that corps, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *James M. Marshall*, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Chauncey B. Baker*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as

Depot Quartermaster at Savannah, Georgia, and to such other duties as he may direct. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Robert E. L. Michie*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as Assistant Adjutant General, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, and will report in person to Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 7th Army Corps, for duty on his staff.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Mason M. Patrick*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, will temporarily perform the duties of Secretary and Disbursing Officer of the Mississippi River Commission, in addition to his other duties.

64. The extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *Fredrik L. Knudsen*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

65. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry C. Keene, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry.

66. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harold P. Howard*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to the place of receipt by them of this order:

Captain *William C. Manning*, 23d U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Milton L. McGrew*, 11th U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

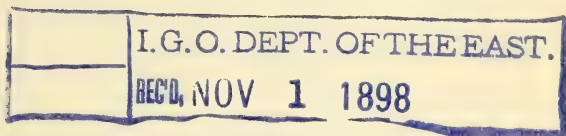
68. By direction of the President, the Secretary of War orders that the General Field Hospital at Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, shall hereafter be known and designated as John Blair Gibbs U. S. A. General Hospital, in

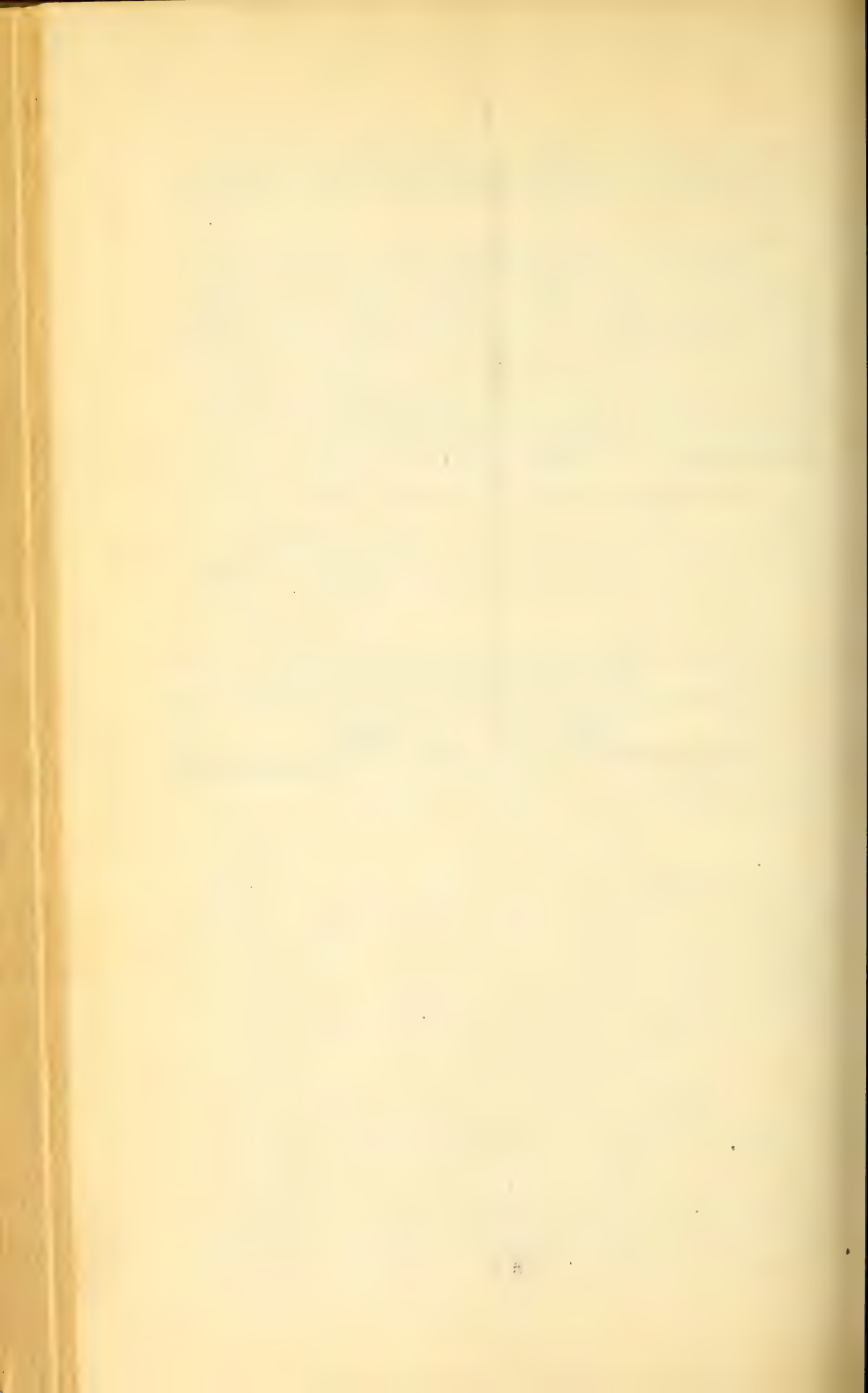
honor of Assistant Surgeon *John Blair Gibbs*, U. S. Navy, who died June 12, 1898, from wounds received in an engagement with Spanish infantry.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey, to consist of Lieutenant Colonel *J. B. Bellinger*, Quartermaster, and Captain *E. R. Hutchins*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is appointed to meet at Port Tampa City, Florida, on November 1, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the purpose of fixing the responsibility and assessing the damage for one 3.6-inch gun limber, received from the Plant Railway at that city in a damaged condition. The junior member of the board will act as recorder.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, }

No. 255.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, October 28, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Edward B. King*, Troop D; *William J. House*, Troop E; Corporal *Burt McClure*, Troop F; Sergeant *Frederic Richardson*, Privates *George W. McDonald*, *Arthur Reece*, *Thomas Savery*, Troop G; Sergeant *Frank Wyman*, Privates *Richard Clark*, *John W. Hollandsworth*, Troop H; *Francis M. Walker*, *James McPherson*, Troop I; *Charles T. Paden*, *Albert J. Cook*, *Elmer E. Wheeler*, Troop K, and *Mora E. Smith*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Quartermaster Sergeant *Howard S. Hays*, Company K; 1st Sergeant *Narrie E. Marks*, Company I, and Corporal *David M. Giller*, Company A, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry; Corporal *John R. Mills*, Company F, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *P. Van der Meyden*, *John L. Smith*, *George W. L. Russell*, *John A. Moore*, 12th Company, and *James B. Earl*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

First Sergeant *Joseph M. Dreyer*, Company L, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frank A. Fall*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Albert U. Falkner*, Troop C, New York Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

Adj. General

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Kennedy L. Potter*, Company H, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Samuel F. Nichols*, Company A, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First Sergeant *George A. Rich*, Company E, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles Arthur Riggs*, Company I, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George N. Quigley*, Company C, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Walter T. Hubbard*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *Henry A. Schroeder*, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *C. C. Hutchison*, Troop C, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Sergeant *William L. Dalton*, Company K, and Private *Robert W. Means*, Company E, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First Sergeant *William E. Terrell*, Company H, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles P. Johannigmeier*, Company M, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William W. Roberts, jr.*, Company D, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William L. Slater*, Company —, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William W. Brannom*, Company H, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *A. S. Williams*, Company F, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Howard D. Bell*, Company M, 7th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *W. E. Henderson*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Jacob C. Leister*, Company C; Quartermaster Sergeant *James B. Gauss*; Sergeants *John L. Faid*, *William C. Zeigler*, Company F; *Joseph A. Rising* and *John H. Rupert*, Company G; Corporal *J. I. Richardson*, Company I; Privates *Albert A. Woods* and *Frank Anderson*, Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles A. Mareni*, Company H, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James E. Forrest*, Company G, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Francis L. Driscoll*, Company H, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter E. Hight*, Company B; Sergeants *Sam R. Duganne*, *William W. Roberts*, and Corporal *Charles W. Walters*, Company G, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Waller Holladay*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *C. C. Robson*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Thomas M. Tisdale*, Company D, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richard F. Malahey*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Clarence E. Reilly*, 9th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 24, 1898, by the Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles F. Kieffer*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to his proper station, Fort Meade, South Dakota, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 36, Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Milton D. Norris*, U. S. Army, is revoked.

15. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Frederick T. Van Liew*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 227, September 26, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Grote Hutcheson*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, now on sick leave of absence at Omaha, Nebraska, will report to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri, for temporary duty as Adjutant General of that Department.

17. Sergeant *Willis Vrooman*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned him in paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 151, October 21, 1898, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will return to that station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post:

Company A—Private *Frank Chodll*;

Company G—Privates *Joseph D. Barnes, Frank Coons, John C. Elliott, William Fairchild, George Fasthoff, Ben F. Gammill, Edward Gindra, James Grimes, Lorenzo Owen, Rudolph A. Paetke, Thomas Powers, John Pulse, Edwin A. Rector, John Rodberg, John L. Whisler, and Jabez B. White*;

Company H—Privates *Lewis Hayman, Fred Johnson, Frank Reeder, Dave H. West, and Harry Wolf*;

Company I—Privates *James M. Gordon, Howell N. Pawley, Edmond M. Shannessy, Hugh Sweeney, and Henry Watterson*;

Company M—Privates *William M. Gorman and Robert Brown*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers will assemble at Washington, District of Columbia, on the 9th of November, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the purpose of making recommendations for brevet promotions, the award of medals of honor, and certificates of merit for the officers and enlisted men who participated in the campaigns of Santiago, the Philippines, and Porto Rico.

In making recommendations the board will be governed by General Orders, No. 42, June 30, 1897, and No. 135, September 3, 1898, from this office, and Article XXV of the Regulations.

Detail for the board.

Brigadier General *Theodore Schwan*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army);

Brigadier General *H. V. Boynton*, U. S. Volunteers;

Lieutenant Colonel *W. H. Carter*, Assistant Adjutant General.

The Adjutant General will furnish the board with all the information necessary for its action.

20. First Lieutenant *William C. Rivers*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, having completed his duties as recorder of the board of officers convened in New York City by paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 211, September 7, 1898, from this office, to make regulations for the government of troops on transports, will repair to this city and deliver the record of the proceedings

of the board to the Adjutant General of the Army, and then proceed to join his proper station, Fort Riley, Kansas. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *W. Tyson Romaine*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 8, September 26, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

22. The leave of absence granted Chaplain *Edward F. Jordan*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 97, September 11, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended on account of sickness to include October 18, 1898.

23. Private *Clarence W. Glossbrenner*, Troop D, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop G, 1st U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Meade, South Dakota. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *John J. Sweeney*, Troop A, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 238, October 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Elmer J. Gilbert*, Troop F, 6th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *William C. Daniels*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edward C. Carter*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and assume charge of the Sternberg General Hospital at that place, to relieve Major *R. Emmett Giffin*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

Major *Giffin*, on being thus relieved, will await orders at Chickamauga Park, Georgia.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William Washington*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 72, October 22, 1898, headquarters 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is extended five days.

29. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *J. H. Martin*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *R. J. Martin*, assistant surgeon, 1st Maine Battalion Heavy Artillery, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

31. Private *Silas E. Derrick*, Troop M, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company H, 24th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Douglas, Utah. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Charles Evens*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, now at Willets Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company E, Battalion of Engineers, and will be sent to the station of that company, West Point, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

33. Private *Max Marias*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 21st U. S. Infantry, at that station. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas F. Clancy*, Hospital Corps, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

35. Private *Frederick Mitchell*, Troop D, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post.

36. Musician *Andrew Cook*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Schuyler, New York, is transferred as private to Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, stationed at the same post.

37. Private *Charles Essing*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Schuyler, New York, is transferred to Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post.

38. Private *Julius Nitsche*, Company —, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, is transferred to Company F, 7th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *James E. Melville Milne*, Battalion Adjutant, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect October 31, 1898.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Lieutenant Colonel *E. W. M. Bailey*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Stephen N. Bond*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Nelson B. Burr*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Melvin W. McConkey*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *John S. Adair*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward H. Erstine*, Company F, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, Corydon, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter A. Moore*, Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, now at West Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office as relates to Private *Charles M. Harris*, Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, is amended to read "6th U. S. Artillery."

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Nelson J. Bodreau*, Battery M, 2d U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles J. Dillon*, Battery D, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at San Diego Barracks, California, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Lee C. Knotts*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Schuyler, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael O'Hern*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, now in confinement at Fort Porter, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Stephen C. Lewis*, Hospital Corps, now on sick furlough at his home in Frostburg, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Reserve Hospital Corps, Jacksonville, Florida. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Hospital Steward *Arthur T. Hill*, Santiago, Cuba, is amended to read, this soldier is "not" entitled to travel-pay.

50. Private *James P. Sullivan*, Battery C, 2d U. S. Artillery, now on detached service at Mortar Battery, Winthrop, Massachusetts, is transferred to Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that station.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Trenton O. Copus*, Hospital Corps, now at Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles I. Harrell*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Atlanta, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. He will be sent to Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, and report upon arrival at that station to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty at the hospital.

53. Private *Thaddeus U. Hale*, Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company K, 23d U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, San Francisco, California. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 23, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *George Mantor*, Hospital Corps, Montauk Point, New York, is revoked.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Mantor*, Hospital Corps, Fort Columbus, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank B. Warner*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, 911 South avenue, Niagara Falls, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 2d Division Hospital, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Graham*, Troop I, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be in St. Joseph's Hospital, Providence, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Mark T. Shrote*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home in Baltimore, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant Major *John W. Healey*, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States to date the day prior to muster-in under commission, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert A. Barnett*, Company M, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at his home, 1304 Seventh avenue, Kearney, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his company, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Meldrum B. Floyd*, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Private *Clarence C. Walker*, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky;

Privates *John W. Egan* and *Emil Asal*, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *Hayes W. Finney*, *James Emanuel*, *Fred B. Davies*, and *Bruno Frankel*, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Privates *Edwin A. Daniel*, *Rufus B. Fore*, *John W. Goff*, *Robert H. Trollinger*, *Robert A. Burns* and *Emmet Gattis*, 7th Army Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Morton Roseberry*, Plattsburg Barracks, New York;

Private *Benno Behrendt*, Armory 8th New York Volunteer U. S. Infantry, New York, New York;

Private *Kellie King*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Edward C. Reid*, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *Garland W. Hill*, Hilton Head, South Carolina;

Private *Ellwood T. Randolph*, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Fred G. Atkinson*, Troop K, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *George E. Vivian*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, Newnan, Georgia;

Private *Charles N. Hildreth*, Company D, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Charles A. Pierce*, Company H, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Frederick Bradshaw*, Troop G, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *Daniel J. Sheerin*, Troop D, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *Luther C. Smith*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John P. Carroll*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, Newnan, Georgia;

Private *Walter Eugene White*, Battery F, 1st U. S. Artillery, Tybee Island, Georgia;

Privates *Rufus R. Chappuis* and *Orrie L. Kuhn*, Battery H, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Privates *Clyde W. Morton*, *George W. Jamison*, and *William Houswright*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *Joseph J. Sammon*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Thomas Dune*, Battery F, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York;

Private *William J. Conroy*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Hiram Jones*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Privates *Walter Roberts*, Battery I, and *George E. Ricker*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Harry M. Dunkin*, Company E, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Privates *George Forsyth*, Company D, and *Thomas F. Jennings*, Company F, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *William W. Jones*, Company L, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Frank E. Baker*, Hospital Corps, now on duty with the 2d U. S. Infantry at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

65. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert C. Davis*, 17th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

66. The leave of absence granted Captain *Guy Carleton*, 10th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 134, October 14, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respecting commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *William C. Youngson*, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William E. Winans*, Company E, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Alex Fuerstenberg*, Company L, and *John R. Lend*, Company M, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *E. A. Dryden*, Company B; Privates *D. Warren Webster*, Company G, and *Maurice M. Butzel*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Rufus Dewitt*, Company B, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George L. LaDomus*, Troop G, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry:

Corporals *Walter S. Marshall* and *Harry A. Driggs*, Company C, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Earnest L. Long*, Troop D, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeants *Horatio A. Boulger* and *James B. Christy*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Tom C. King*; Sergeants *E. Nute Rogers*, *Leo D. Spotswood*; Privates *Reuben F. Ashley*, *Earl Gray*, *Eldon M. Chester*, *James A. Simmons*, *Thomas A. Bridgwater*, *William B. Crawford, jr.*, *Casper O. Cheshire*, *Jim Goodhue*, and *Howard H. Anthony*, Company D, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles W. Betz*, Company D, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Clarence F. Gordon*, Company A, and Hospital Steward *Edgar T. Ponder*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John R. Gardner*, Company M, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Harry A. Logue*, Company E; Privates *W. H. Lindsay*, Company A, and *Leonard Y. McFarland*, Company C, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William F. Hase*, 6th U. S. Artillery, is detailed as Depot Commissary at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, to relieve Captain *Morton J. Henry*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, and will report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Lafayette A. Dorrington*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from temporary duty at headquarters Department of the Missouri, and will proceed to join his regiment at Santiago, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *Harry T. Corbett*, Company D, and Private *Gorner Williams*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William F. Rowland*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery;

Privates *James A. Lynch* and *Charles Vogel*, Company L, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *B. F. Williams*, — Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Corporal *Thomas O'Brien*, Company —, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Max Preissner*, Company F, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Lyman T. Gregory*, Company B; Corporal *Jasper E. Glascock*, Privates *Joseph W. Fosnock*, Company E; *John M. Slichter*, Company I, and Artificer *C. E. Mason*, Company M, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Taylor Johnson*, Company G, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lee S. Murphy*, Company I, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

80. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Fred W. McKerrell*, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Thomas J. Reese*, Company F, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

82. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George A. Acosta*, Company E, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

83. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Arthur Niemeyer*, Company D, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

84. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *C. H. Dean*, Company F, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

85. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Daniel W. Klinefelter*, Company H, 5th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Wagoner *Louis B. Montague*, Company E, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Frederick G. Hodgson*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Cincinnati, Ohio, on public business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. Under instructions from the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring board is appointed by the Secretary of War, to meet at the earliest practicable date, at the call of the president thereof, at Fort Columbus, New York, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army;

Lieutenant Colonel *John N. Coe*, 13th U. S. Infantry;

Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *George Andrews*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Frederick W. Fuger*, 13th U. S. Infantry, recorder.

88. Under instructions from the President, 1st Lieutenant *Frank O. Ferris*, 1st U. S. Infantry, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet at Fort Columbus, New York, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board. Upon completion of his examination, Lieutenant *Ferris* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward W. Winfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now under treatment in the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, will repair to his home and await orders for his own convenience, pending the muster out of his company. On his arrival there he will report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John E. Bacon*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Chickamauga Park, Georgia, to Fort Hancock, New Jersey, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence from September 2, 1898, to October 31, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted Post Chaplain *Patrick J. Hart*, U. S. Army.

92. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Randolph E. Fishburn*, Battalion Adjutant, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 1, 1898.

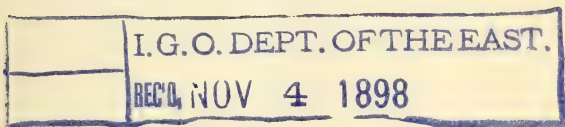
93. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Clarence N. Purdy*, 6th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Camp Eaton, Island Lake, Michigan, and report in person to Captain *Robert J. C. Irvine*, 11th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer at that place, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Act-

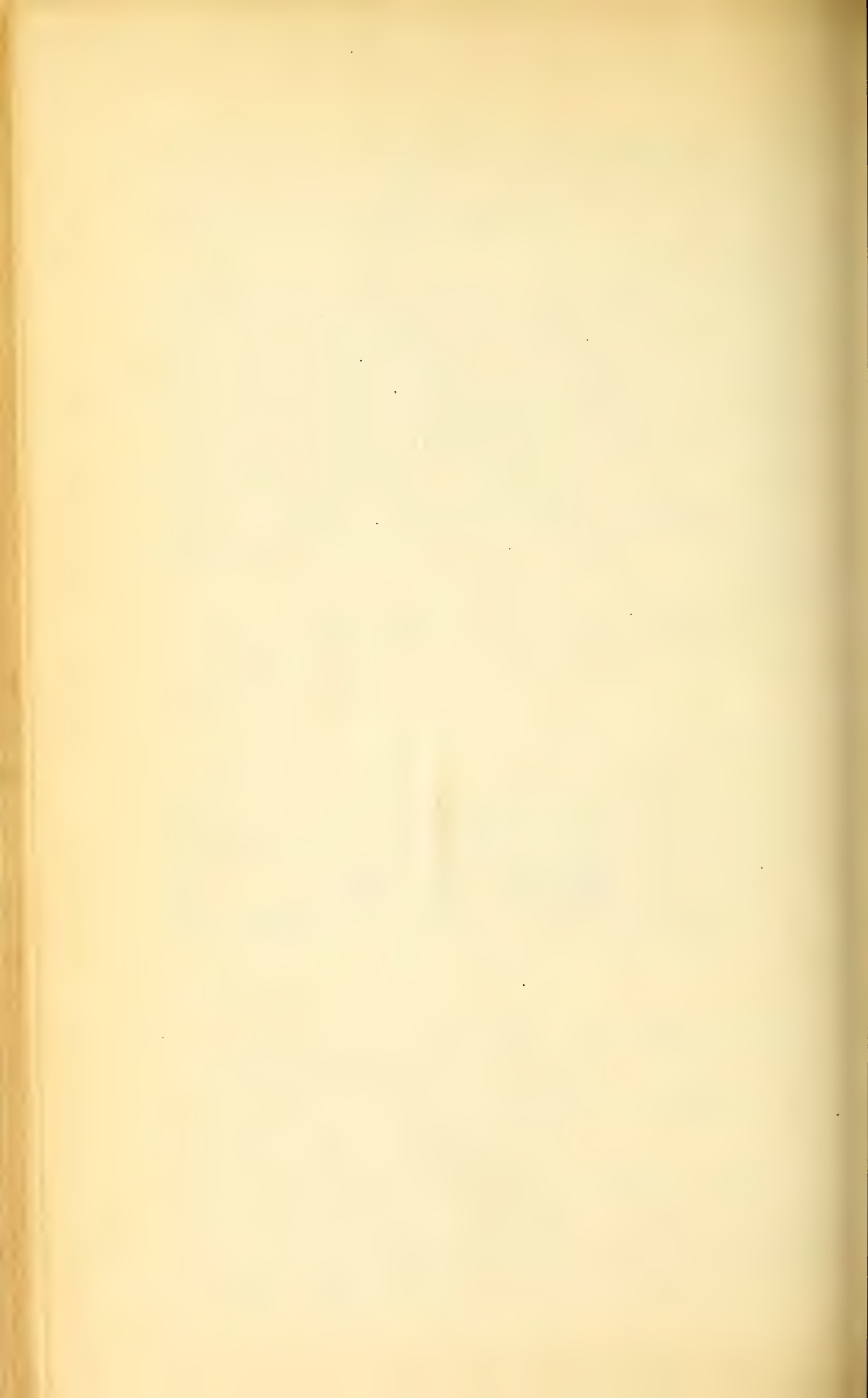
ing Assistant Quartermaster, Commissary, and ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of Michigan volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

94. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William M. Talbott*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed to Indianapolis, Indiana, and assume command of the 14th Indiana Volunteer Signal Corps Company, and execute, under the instructions of the chief mustering officer at that place, the necessary signatures to muster rolls, certificates of discharge, medical examination blanks, and such other official papers as may be necessary for the completion of the muster out of service of the organization. Upon completion of the duties assigned him Lieutenant *Talbott* will rejoin his proper command. The travel enjoined necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 256. Washington, October 29, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Frank P. Collins*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank R. Forker*, Battery E, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Preble, Maine, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Baker*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, now at Recruiting Station, No. 309 W. Fourth street, Cincinnati, Ohio, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the officer in charge of that station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their regiment:

Private *Edward C. O'Neal*, Company A;

Private *Edward Miller*, Company G;

Privates *Fred H. Gardner* and *William Wagner*, Company K;

Privates *Frank Minard*, *Alfred Stellmacher*, *Fred W. Johnson*, *Louis Buck*, and *Fred Deuchemin*, Company L.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *John O. Carey* and *John R. Hehr*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, are transferred to the Hospital Corps as privates. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order them to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

Adjutant General

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles E. Ridge*, Company E, 13th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Niagara, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George B. Schroeder*, Company L, 15th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Logan, Colorado, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Thomas Nemecek*, Company C, 2d U. S. Infantry, is amended to read Fort Harrison, Montana, instead of "Fort Snelling, Minnesota."

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richard Malloy*, Light Battery F, 4th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at his home, No. 1301 Boyle avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Fred Schechterle*, Troop F, and *William G. Wagner*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John E. Costello*, Company B, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Frank Schuh*, Company D, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Acting Hospital Steward *James C. Dougherty*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. Private *Joseph Brown*, Company D, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to the Hospital Corps. The Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, will assign this soldier to a station.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter Dietz*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, 127 Clinton street, Dayton, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of the 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, Columbus, Ohio, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

13. By direction of the President, Major *John M. G. Woodbury*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 27, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, detaching 1st Lieutenant *Frederic T. Stetson*, 3d U. S. Infantry, as assistant mustering officer for the State of Wisconsin, is revoked.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George E. Houle*, 3d U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and report in person to Captain *Edwin P. Andrus*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer at that place, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of Wisconsin volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges Captain *William H. Lamar*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, from the service of the United States, to take effect November 15, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 29, 1898.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Erwin*, Company G, 14th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the Division Field Hospital.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William D. Richardson*, Hospital Corps, now on U. S. Hos-

pital Ship "Missouri," is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty aboard that vessel.

19. Private *Wade H. Thurman*, Troop C, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the 15th U. S. Infantry at that station. He will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Cornelius J. Stire*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, Camp Wikoff, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward. He will be sent to Augusta Arsenal, Georgia, and will report for duty upon his arrival to the commanding officer of that station.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Cecil J. Gardner*, Hospital Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph Rutherford*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Monroe, Virginia. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin M. Mann*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel McCambridge*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Bernis Brien*, Hospital Corps, now on sick furlough at his home, No. 34 Central avenue, Dayton, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. Private *Julius A. Stolze*, Company F, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, is transferred to the 7th U. S. Infantry at that station. He will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George K. Williams*, Troop H, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough at his home, Catskill, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Saimon Shamponer*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

29. Private *Julian E. Royce*, Battery I, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 9th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Madison Barracks, New York, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of medical officers, to consist of—

Major *Walter Reed*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *Victor C. Vaughan*, division surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and

Captain *George D. De Shon*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, in this city, Wednesday, November 2, 1898, at 10 a. m., for the examination of acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army.

The report of the board will be forwarded to the Surgeon General of the Army.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Camillo C. Carr*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, for duty therewith during the examination of Captains only, as indicated in paragraph 81, Special Orders, 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *Joshua L. Fowler*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, who is hereby relieved.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John N. Coe*, 13th U. S. Infantry, is detailed for temporary duty as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, *vice* Lieutenant Colonel *Tully McCrea*, 5th U. S. Artillery, who will resume his seat on the board upon his return from leave.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Post Chaplain *Dwight Galloupe*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include October 27, 1898, on account of sickness.

34. The resignation of Post Chaplain *Dwight Galloupe*, U. S. Army, has been accepted by the President, to take effect October 27, 1898.

35. The leave of absence for seven days granted Chaplain *Hector Hall*, 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, in regimental orders No. 7, June 1, 1898, is changed to a leave of absence on account of sickness, and is extended, on account of sickness, to include June 15, 1898.

36. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Louis B. Washburne*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 109, September 23, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

37. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Fred E. Thompson*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 118, current series, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Frank Brown*, now in this city, to Jackson Barracks, Louisiana. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer to relieve Post Quartermaster Sergeant *P. N. Merzig*.

Sergeant *Merzig*, when thus relieved, to Tampa, Florida, thence by steamer to Havana, Cuba, and will report for duty upon his arrival to Colonel *C. W. Williams*, Depot Quartermaster at that place.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate to Sergeant *Frank Brown* for three days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

39. Upon the recommendation of the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, the following changes in the assignments of general officers in that corps, by the President, are announced by the Secretary of War:

Brigadier General *Edward B. Williston*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 2d Brigade, 1st Division, and assigned to command the 1st Brigade, 2d Division;

Brigadier General *Henry T. Douglas*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 1st Brigade, 2d Division, and assigned to command the 2d Brigade, 1st Division.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Charles H. Ribbel*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Judge Advocate of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Major *John Carr*, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *W. H. Moorhead*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

42. Under the provisions of section 14 of the act of Congress, approved April 22, 1898, and upon the adverse report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel C. Davidson*, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, is, by direction of the President, discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances.

43. The following payments of troops are ordered by the Secretary of War:

Major *George W. Baird*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will pay the troops at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia; Fort Myer, Sheridan Point, and Fort Monroe, Virginia; Fort Washington, Maryland; Fort Macon and Fort Caswell, North

Carolina, to include October 31, 1898. Major *Winfield M. Clark*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will report to Major *Baird* and assist him in the payments.

Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, accompanied by his authorized clerk, and two additional clerks, will pay, to include October 31, 1898, the troops at Fort McHenry, Maryland; Fort Delaware, Delaware; Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, and Fort Mott, New Jersey; and the following-named officers of the Pay Department will report to Major *Rogers* and assist him in the payments: Majors *Clifford S. Walton*, *George W. Moses*, *William J. Black*, *Washington Haverstick*, *Merrill W. Lang*, *Pierre C. Stevens*, and *Robert B. Huston*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers. Payments will be made in person at all the posts named, except Fort Mott, New Jersey, which will be paid in funds shipped by express. Each paymaster will be accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk.

The Quartermaster's Department will transport the funds necessary for these payments by express to such points as the paymasters may direct. The funds for the payment at Camp Meade will be shipped by express to the care of Major *Daniel W. Arnold*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, the local paymaster at that point.

On the completion of the payments specified, the officers named will return to their proper stations. Such journeys as may be required of them are necessary for the public service.

44. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *George P. Griffin*, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 273, October 17, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *I. N. Wilson*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

46. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *Warren E. Healey*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 113, September 27, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

47. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Harry E. Smith*, 1st U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No.

225, September 23, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Philip G. Wales*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

49. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Samuel Burkhardt, jr.*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 131, October 11, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

50. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas M. Corcoran*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 95, September 19, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

51. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Arthur G. Ackert*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 118, September 20, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

52. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *G. H. Clark*, Adjutant, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 132, October 4, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *W. C. George*, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

54. The following transfers are made in the 10th U. S. Cavalry, to take effect this date:

Captain *John Bigelow, jr.*, from Troop M to Troop D;

Captain *Percy E. Trippe*, from Troop D to Troop M.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles S. Smith*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, New York, on official business pertaining to the construction of ordnance, and on completion of this duty will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William*

W. Gibson, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed six visits from Alliance to Hamilton, Ohio, and not to exceed six visits between Alliance and Columbus, Ohio, on official business pertaining to the manufacture of 12-inch rifled mortars and seacoast carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles M. Gandy*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Fort Mason, California, and from further duty in the field with the 4th Army Corps, at Huntsville, Alabama, and will proceed to Columbus, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as chief surgeon of that division. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following assignments of officers to regiments, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, are announced:

Colonel *Samuel M. Whitside* (promoted from Lieutenant Colonel, 5th U. S. Cavalry), to the 10th U. S. Cavalry, to date from October 16, 1898, vice *Henry*, appointed Brigadier General, U. S. Army. He will proceed to join the 10th U. S. Cavalry.

Lieutenant Colonel *Camillo C. C. Carr* (promoted from Major, 8th U. S. Cavalry), to the 5th U. S. Cavalry, to date from October 16, 1898, vice *Whitside*, promoted. He will proceed to join the 5th U. S. Cavalry.

Colonel *Henry B. Freeman* (promoted from Lieutenant Colonel, 5th U. S. Infantry), to the 24th U. S. Infantry, to date from October 4, 1898, vice *Kent*, appointed Brigadier General, U. S. Army. He will proceed to join the 24th U. S. Infantry when relieved from command of the 5th U. S. Infantry by Lieutenant Colonel *Hooton*.

Lieutenant Colonel *Mott Hooton* (promoted from Major, 25th U. S. Infantry), to the 5th U. S. Infantry, to date from October 4, 1898, vice *Freeman*, promoted. He will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and join the 5th U. S. Infantry.

Captain *Richard R. Steedman* (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 16th U. S. Infantry), to the 11th U. S. Infantry, Company M, to date from June 30, 1898, vice *Quinby*, promoted. He will proceed to join the 11th U. S. Infantry in Porto Rico.

Captain *George P. Ahern* (promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 25th U. S. Infantry), to the 9th U. S. Infantry, Company A, to

date from June 30, 1898, vice *Bowman*, promoted. He will proceed to join the 9th U. S. Infantry, November 8, 1898.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Major *Allan H. Jackson*, paymaster, U. S. Army, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

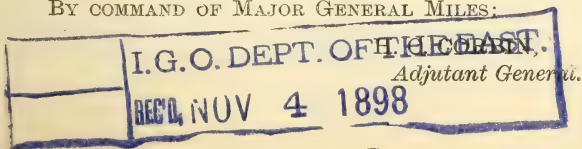
60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William H. Forwood*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, on official business pertaining to the construction of the U. S. General Hospital to be erected at that place, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station, the U. S. Soldiers' Home, near Washington, District of Columbia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

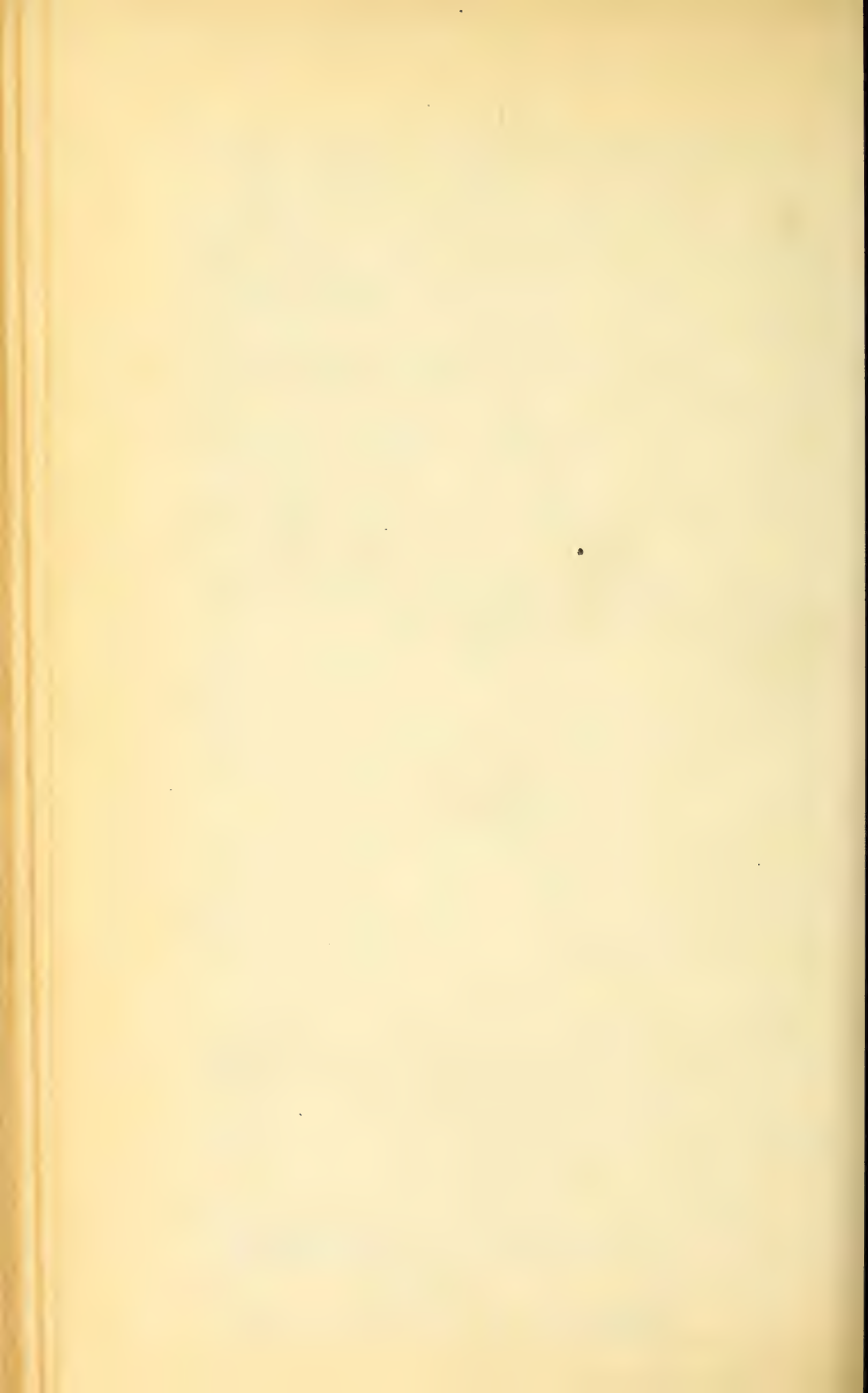
61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Deane C. Howard*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Crook, Nebraska, and will proceed to Fort Columbus, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edward O. Shakespeare*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the investigation of typhoid fever, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the President, Major *William H. Stillwell*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 257. } Washington, October 31, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles K. Osgood*, Company G, 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred as a private to Battery B, 1st Maine Heavy Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Augusta, Maine. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Jean A. Jeancon*, Company G, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Lexington, Kentucky. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Privates *Alfred W. H. Ecoff*, Company D, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry; *George W. Brown*, Company M, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, and Artificer *John Brown*, Company I, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are, upon their own applications, transferred as privates to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldiers and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Charles F. Humphrey*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of his duty will return to this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. First Sergeant *F. E. Campe*, Company H, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned him in Camp Order, No. 3, October 28, 1898, Camp Cuba Libre, Jacksonville, Florida, will return to that station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

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6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Allen Watkins*, Troop K, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *J. Augustus Thilman* (appointed October 25, 1898, from Sergeant, Company E, 4th U. S. Infantry), now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be sent to Fort Yates, North Dakota. Upon his arrival at that post he will report to the commanding officer for duty.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marvin E. Mason*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Camp Cuba Libre, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward S. Brown*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fernandina, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, as relates to Privates *Edward B. Lyons* and *Bernard J. Newman*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Sergeant *Benjamin F. Carr*, Troop E, 5th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama:

Sergeant *Isaac Stevens*, Troop D, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Sergeant *Benjamin Seals*, Company H, 24th U. S. Infantry, Fort Douglas, Utah.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter Schulz*, Company I, 6th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Harvey*, Battery B, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will be sent to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and will report upon his arrival there to Captain *George R. Gyger*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

14. So much of paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *George A. Emerson*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

15. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant Secretary of War directs that the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, be, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect upon receipt of this order at the posts, and repair to their homes:

Commissary Sergeant *Isidore Kalmus*, Fort Harrison, Montana;

Sergeant Major *Charles W. Skemp*, 15th U. S. Infantry, Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory;

Sergeant *Cornelius Desmond*, Battery E, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Preble, Maine;

Sergeant *Patrick Rock*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Corporal *Edward Langford*, Company D, 25th U. S. Infantry, Fort Grant, Arizona Territory;

Private *Courtney Matthews*, Company B, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Keogh, Montana.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journeys are necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations

designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *William E. Davis*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Trumpeter *Arthur H. Yocum*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *William H. Jones* and *Emory O. Carr*, Battery K, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Private *George P. Langner*, Battery I, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Morgan, Alabama;

Private *David S. Walls*, Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Musician *William A. Yerkes*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Frederick L. Whitaker*, Company F, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Harry Mullner*, Company D; *Allison Mattice*, Company H; *Owen Gaughan*, Company K; *Lee B. Baker*, Company M, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York;

Private *John F. Wingo*, Company M, 23d U. S. Infantry, Philippine Islands.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Clark S. Page*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

18. Private *Charles M. Pearsall*, Band, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is transferred to the Band, 4th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that organization, Presidio of San Francisco, California. The entire cost (transportation and increased cost of subsistence) attending this transfer will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of the command to which he is transferred.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jesse F. Mote*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 87, Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Joseph R. Bosworth*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia, is revoked.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 48, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *William A. Riley*, Company E, 8th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *E. R. Johnson*, Company D, 16th U. S. Infantry, now on duty at 39 Whitehall street, New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster at that station, to date October 31, 1898. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Harris*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 77, Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges from the service of the United States Lieutenant Colonel *Rush Huidekoper*, chief surgeon of Volunteers, to take effect October 31, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War to take effect November 15, 1898.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion of their examinations will return to their proper stations:

First Lieutenant *Abraham P. Buffington*, 13th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Girard Sturtevant*, 25th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Samuel V. McClure*, 7th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Frederick W. Lewis*, 22d U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William F. Lorenz*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Company, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Anton Zimmermann* (appointed October 25, 1898, from Sergeant, Troop D, 2d U. S. Cavalry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort Wingate, New Mexico. He will upon his arrival report to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

28. Private *Lewis C. Henry*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company F, 6th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Thomas, Kentucky. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station:

Acting Hospital Steward *Charles A. Buchanan*;

Privates *Wilbur F. Alley*, *Nicholas W. Earnest*, *Max Feldman*, *John P. Murphy*, *George P. Pattillo*, and *Charles E. Pitts*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Hamet H. Tansey*, General Service, Recruiting Station, No. 25 North Illinois street, Indianapolis, Indiana;

Private *Robert Stanley*, Band, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John B. Ayres, jr.*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Frederick H. Brunner*, Band, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *James O'Connor*, Company D, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Columbus, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 220, September 17, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Benni Goldblatt*, Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 220, September 17, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Jason J. Jackson*, Company F, 24th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John W. Burns*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be absent sick, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Thompson*, Battery M, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Grovers Cliff, Winthrop, Massachusetts, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles P. Haugh*, Battery M, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Wadsworth, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harold S. Parker*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be sick at New Haven Hospital, New Haven, Connecticut, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *T. B. Martin*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles F. Dixon*, Company F, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, 424 West Ninth street,

Cincinnati, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Louis Rollman*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations by the commanding officer of his station.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named brigade surgeons, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, are assigned as follows:

Major *Martin L. Focht*, now at Lewisburg, Pennsylvania, will proceed to Augusta, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty;

Major *Francis T. Metcalfe*, on the expiration of his present leave of absence, will report in person to the commanding officer, U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," for duty;

Major *Wilfrid Turnbull*, now at Santiago, Cuba, will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty;

Major *George G. Groff*, now in Porto Rico, will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, for assignment to duty.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry H. Carlton*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Athens, Georgia, and await orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *James N. Allison*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, Chief Commissary, 2d Army Corps, will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, for consultation, and on completion thereof will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Rudolph G. Ebert*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from Vancouver Barracks, Washington, to San Francisco, California, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of

California, for temporary duty, and when his services are no longer necessary will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The travel performed about September 2, 1898, by Acting Assistant Surgeons *James P. Warbasse*, *Najeeb M. Saleeby*, and *Henry P. de Forest*, U. S. Army, from Brooklyn, New York, and Acting Assistant Surgeon *George E. Chamberlain*, U. S. Army, from Lawrence, Massachusetts, to Jacksonville, Florida, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

45. The travel from New York City to Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, New York, and return, about August 15, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Wickes Washburn*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

46. The journey from New York City, New York, to Detroit, Michigan, on or about October 8, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Delos L. Parker*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

47. The travel from Waltham, Massachusetts, to New York City, New York, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeons *Allen Greenwood* and *Henry D. Chadwick*, U. S. Army, under instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, about August 21, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed from Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, to their respective homes, hereinafter designated, and on arrival there will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army:

Jesse Rowe, to Abingdon, Illinois;

Spurgeon Cheek, to Danville, Kentucky;

David T. Corde, to New York City, New York.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Francis E. Lacey, jr.*, Quartermaster, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 26, September 30, 1898, 3d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

50. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Fitzhugh Lee, jr.*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, to enable him to accept appointment as 2d Lieutenant of Infantry, U. S. Army, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of the 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, only, to date from September 18, 1898.

51. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederic H. Sargent*, Adjutant, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Andrew J. Wynter*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 88, September 12, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

53. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Major *Charles R. Parke*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, recently appointed, will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding officer, 9th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, for assignment to duty:

First Lieutenant *Alexander Richardson* (1st Sergeant, Company B, 24th U. S. Infantry);

First Lieutenant *Edward Williams* (1st Sergeant, Company C, 24th U. S. Infantry);

First Lieutenant *William Wilkes* (Sergeant, Company F, 24th U. S. Infantry);

Second Lieutenant *Robert G. Woods* (1st Sergeant, Company G, 24th U. S. Infantry);

Second Lieutenant *Jacob C. Smith* (Saddler Sergeant, 10th U. S. Cavalry);

Second Lieutenant *John W. Brown* (Saddler Sergeant, 9th U. S. Cavalry).

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. The proceedings of the general court-martial convened by paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 58, Headquarters, 1st Army Corps and Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, July 15, 1898, in the case of Private *Joseph Bauer*, Company K, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry,

charged with and found guilty of desertion, having been found to be irregular and defective, the sentence imposed by the court is set aside and by direction of the Secretary of War he will be discharged the service without honor.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person, in due time for examination, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., November 15, 1898, for the examination of officers of the line of the Army, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and upon the completion of their examinations will return to their proper stations:

Second Lieutenant *Robert E. Callan*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Harry H. Stout*, 6th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Harry F. Jackson*, 2d U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Thales L. Ames*, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *John H. Rice*, 3d U. S. Cavalry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George H. Jamerson*, 7th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

58. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William K. McCue*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 30, October 4, 1898, 3d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

59. The leave of absence granted Captain *Henry D. McCutcheon*, Adjutant, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 237, paragraph 94, October 7, 1898, from this office, is extended to include November 16, 1898.

60. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Martin Dismukes*, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 142, Department of California, September 27, 1898, is extended ten days.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *B. F. Perkins*, Quartermaster, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

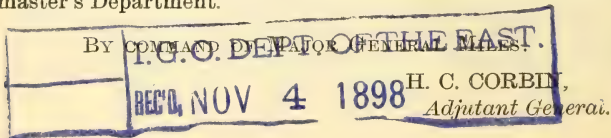
Second Lieutenant *Elbridge W. Moore*, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph G. Ramsay*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for service therewith during the temporary absence of Major *John P. Story*, 7th U. S. Artillery, who will resume his seat on the board upon his return to his station.

63. The following-named enlisted men of the 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at St. Louis, Missouri, are, upon their own applications, transferred as privates to the 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Jacksonville, Florida:

Corporal *Charles Bingesser*, Privates *Victor F. Smythe*, *William L. Craine*, Company A; *August W. Lueking*, *Leon P. Hawley*, *Walter L. Pondrom*, *Hugh J. Morris*, *Guy C. Rombo*, *Samuel E. Eakan*, *Rollin True*, Company B; *Benjamin F. Meyers*, Company C; *James J. Prendergast*, *Alfred W. H. Ecoff*, *Frederick A. Velde*, Company D; Musician *Arthur B. Bell*, Privates *Robert M. Peck*, *Fred Fritch, jr.*, *Jacob Schiegg*, Company E; *John P. Lane*, *Edward J. Rectanus*, Company F; *Jeremiah P. Eggman*, *William P. Spear*, *Bernard C. Ferguson*, Company G; *Sydney S. Tippet*, *George W. Parker*, *Edward A. Ullery*, *Edward P. Bierman*, *Charles Nachweit*, *August Knapp*, *Charles J. Darlington*, Company H; *Robert H. Hansford*, *Michael McGarty*, *Henry Michaelson*, *Thomas Ross*, Company I; Corporal *Patrick P. Lyons*, Privates *Francis E. Shuck*, *Charles J. Beckingham*, *Charles J. O'Connor*, *Robert Baker*, *John Meier, jr.*, *Lucius P. Tunnell*, *Bernard J. Dreiscerner*, *Hugo Waldo*, *Frank H. Catlin*, *Julius H. Kessler*, *Leo Veere*, *George F. Walsh*, Company K; *John J. Miller*, *Ira A. Vorhees*, *John Cooper*, and *Lawrence J. Raden*, Company L.

The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldiers and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 258. } Washington, November 1, 1898.

1. Private *Richard Eaton*, Company E, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 17th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank P. McOwen*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Grovers Cliff, Massachusetts, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Michael E. Dempsey* and *Charles Sullivan*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Grovers Cliff, Massachusetts, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert B. Slocum*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, Nunda, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 2d Division Hospital, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harold MacFarlane*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now a patient in the Presbyterian Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. First Lieutenant *William J. D. Horne*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, is transferred from Troop G to Troop L of that regiment.

Adj. General

7. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles R. Evans*, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, from September 27 to October 27, 1898, is approved and changed to leave of absence on account of sickness.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry P. Birmingham*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), will report in person, when his services can be spared by the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, this city, by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

9. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, October 31, 1898.*

By direction of the President, the following-named general officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States, to take effect on the dates set opposite their respective names, their services being no longer required, by reason of the muster out of volunteer regiments:

MAJOR GENERAL.

William Montrose Graham (Brigadier General, U.S. Army), November 30, 1898.

BRIGADIER GENERALS.

Emerson H. Liscum (Lieutenant Colonel, 24th U. S. Infantry), December 31, 1898;

Charles A. Whittier, December 31, 1898;

Theodore A. Baldwin (Lieutenant Colonel, 10th U. S. Cavalry), December 31, 1898;

Harry C. Egbert (Colonel, 22d U. S. Infantry), December 31, 1898;

Willis J. Hulings, December 31, 1898;

William S. Worth (Colonel, 16th U. S. Infantry), October 31, 1898 (having been appointed Brigadier General, U. S. Army).

Generals *Whittier* and *Hulings* will proceed to their homes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Benjamin Alvord*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from the assignment as chief ordnance officer, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, made in General Orders. No. 166, October 13, 1898, from this office.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry H. Benham*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty as chief ordnance officer, Western District of Porto Rico, and will proceed to Greenville, South Carolina, and report in person to Brigadier General *George W. Davis*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as chief ordnance officer of that division. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. Leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted 2d Lieutenant *James E. Bell*, 12th U. S. Infantry.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry E. Whitney*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Washington, Maryland, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

14. Private *John J. Dougherty*, Company D, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company B, 13th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Columbus, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James M. Ross*, Troop C, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the hospital the commanding officer will order him to report for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alonzo W. Bixby*, Company M, 12th U. S. Infantry, now in the hands of the civil authorities, serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Elwood C. Allison*, Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, now on furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Albert Hughes*, Troop B, and *George S. Davis*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Wayne Carlock*, Troop F, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William F. Leffingwell*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *Harry A. Smith*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut;

Private *William Heilmann*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Thomas A. Costello*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Privates *Fred A. Brill*, *William S. Norris*, and *Will D. Bartlett*, Hospital Corps, Jacksonville, Florida.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jesse E. Firman*, Band, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at his home, 410 West Third avenue, Columbus, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Tierney*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, now at Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

21. Sergeant *Ellsworth W. Deuel*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Schuyler, New York, is transferred as private to Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post.

22. Private *William J. Dance*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, at that station.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Andrew McGee*, Company D, 16th U. S. Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. Private *Henry Foster*, Troop D, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on furlough at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory, is transferred to Company B, 10th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Huntsville, Alabama. The entire cost (transportation and increased cost of subsistence) attending this transfer will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of the company to which he is transferred.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *Albert Emerick*, Troop M, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Charles Anderson*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, Ardmore, Indian Territory;

Sergeant *Elliott M. Norton*, Battery I, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Morgan, Alabama;

Artificer *William H. Ladd*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Musician *Joseph Best*, Company D, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Francis L. Bangert*, Battery E, 7th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Camden Stotler*, Troop I, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 61, Special Orders, No. 255, October 28, 1898, in the case of Private *James Emanuel*, is amended to read, now

at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, instead of "Camp Meade, Pennsylvania."

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 66, Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *William F. Lewis*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, to return to his station at Sullivan's Island, South Carolina, is amended so as to direct him to report in person to Brigadier General *Louis H. Carpenter*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding Cavalry Brigade, 7th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the President, Captain *Frederick H. Bugher*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. Major *Richard I. Eskridge*, 10th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Hot Springs, Arkansas, and the Secretary of War grants authority for his admission to the Army and Navy General Hospital at that place for treatment therein. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Daniel J. Moore*, Company F, and Private *Edward K. Ferry*, Company B, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Claude L. Abbott*, Troop K, 3d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *H. F. Patterson*, Company G, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Clarence Edminston*, Company L, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Frederick Hugo Stearns*, Company E, and *William C. Hervey, jr.*, Company L, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Norman P. Cooke*, Company D, and Corporal *Tscharner De G. M. Hobson*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Heber H. Allen*, Band, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *Lewis W. Cass*, Company M, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, to the 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles F. Harrington*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edward F. Wickwire*, Company B, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jasper Swansburg*, Battery D, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Andrew P. Watt*, Company A, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Andrew Ford*, Company G, 8th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Francis B. Stith* and Private *Charles H. Stith*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *F. K. McConnel*, Company L, and Corporal *Henry Herskovits*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Simon Mahoney*, Company D, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Harry W. Loud*, Battery I, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Charles F. Leverson*, Company A, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Maurice T. Haggerty*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William E. McIntosh*, Company L, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, on grounds of minority, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances due, but will be given travel-pay to place of enlistment.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Hugh S. M. Sinclair*, Company C; *Charles H. Morrison*, Company G, and Corporal *Sydney G. Bernheimer*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant ——— *McMillin* and Musician *Anton R. Mitermiller*, Company K, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Oliver P. Benson*, Company B, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Walter F. Cook*, *William M. Robertson*, Battery B; *Charles H. Baker* and *Arthur H. Baker*, Battery F, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Joseph E. Wright*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Sergeant *John Stringer*, Company B, and Principal Musician *William L. Lindsley*, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Loy Hill*, Company I, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. G. Franks*, 7th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Corporal *Charles B. Syphert*, Company A, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *H. T. Loughlin*, Company M, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Howard Burghardt*, Company F, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report, in due time for examination, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., November 15, 1898, to examine Lieutenants of the line of the Army, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and upon the completion of their examinations will return to their proper stations:

Second Lieutenant *Joseph Wheeler, jr.*, 4th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *John B. Christian*, 2d U. S. Cavalry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *George R. Armstrong*, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 255, October 28, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Charles F. Kieffer*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is amended so as to direct him to return to his proper station, Fort Meade, South Dakota, after complying with the requirements of paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 178, July 30, 1898, from this office, relieving 1st Lieutenant *Sedgwick Rice*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, from duty at the San Carlos Indian Agency, Arizona Territory, and directing him to proceed to join his regiment, is amended to direct him to proceed to join his regiment *via* Washington, District of Columbia, for the purpose of settling his accounts as acting Indian agent. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. The journeys performed by Major *Carle A. Woodruff*, 2d U. S. Artillery, Captain *Edward T. Brown*, 7th U. S. Artillery, and 1st Lieutenant *Edward H. Catlin*, 2d U. S. Artillery, between Fort Warren, Massachusetts, and Boston, Massachusetts, in attendance upon the court of inquiry appointed by paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, are approved by the Secretary of War as necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John B. McDonald*, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 3d U. S. Cavalry), is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Alabama, to take effect upon completion of such duty and will proceed within thirty days thereafter to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and there join the 3d U. S. Cavalry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Julian T. McLamore*, Company E, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Roy L. Terrell*, Company A, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Viggo Toepfer*, Company E, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Hamson B. Clark* and *James Benson*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Acahel C. B. Lauder*, Troop L, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Sergeant *Harry G. Jennings* and Private *Le Roy Lee*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Lieutenant Colonel *Clarence M. Bailey*, 18th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders. No. 55, September 21, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended three months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

59. By direction of the President, the following named officers are honorably discharged the volunteer service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect from the dates set opposite their respective names, their services being no longer required:

Major *William Crozier*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army), November 30, 1898;

Major *Henry H. Carleton*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, December 31, 1898;

Major *David Vickers*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, November 30, 1898;

Major *Daniel M. White*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, November 30, 1898.

Majors *Carleton*, *Vickers*, and *White* will proceed to their homes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. Leave of absence for two days, to take effect November 3, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles Miller*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

61. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John A. Perry*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

62. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disa-

bility granted Captain *Charles W. Penrose*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 15, September 27, 1898, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Cornélis De W. Willcox*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is detailed for temporary duty in the Military Information Division, Adjutant General's Office, and will report in person to the Adjutant General of the Army for duty accordingly.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edwin S. Easley* and Captain *William W. Walker*, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John D. Howland*, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service as such on tender of resignation, to take effect this date, in order to enable him to accept an appointment in the 202d New York Volunteer Infantry.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis A. Holliday*, U. S. Army, now at Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, will proceed to Willets Point, New York, and report to the commanding officer of that post for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, October 31, 1898.*

By direction of the President, so much of General Orders, No. 162, October 7, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges from the volunteer army of the United States Brigadier General *James R. Waties*, to take effect October 31, 1898, is amended to take effect December 1, 1898.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *William C. Warmesley*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on the steamer sailing for Santiago, Cuba, on the 2d instant, and on arrival there will re-

port in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. Such journeys between the places of muster out of Maine volunteer troops and Fort Preble, Maine, as Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, may be required to make on official business pertaining to his duties as surgeon at Fort Preble, Maine, are approved by the Secretary of War as necessary for the public service.

70. The journeys from New York City to Washington, District of Columbia, and return, on September 19 and 20, and October 16 and 17, 1898, performed by Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, on official business pertaining to his command, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the President, Captain *Thomas B. Haughawout*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898, his services being no longer required.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Pay Department are ordered:

Major *George W. Fishback*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in this city and will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, for assignment to duty as chief paymaster of that department;

Major *Samuel S. Harvey*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in New York City, New York, and Major *John W. Fogler*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in this city, and they will report to Major *Fishback* in time to sail on the steamer leaving New York City on the 9th instant, for duty and station in Porto Rico, and at such station as the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, may direct.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the Medical Department recently appointed, are assigned as follows:

Major *William J. Kernachan*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, at that place, for assignment to duty;

Major *Willard S. H. Matthew*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at San Francisco, California, will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, for assignment to duty;

Major *William B. Winn*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, at that place for assignment to duty;

Major *William Dolz*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now at Santiago, Cuba, will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty.

74. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Benjamin A. Farrell*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Norton Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is revoked.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, relieving Captain *Norton Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, from duty at Chicago, Illinois, and directing him to report in person to the commanding officer, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is amended to direct him to report in person to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board, at the Army Medical Museum Building in this city, appointed by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion of his examination to proceed to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report to the commanding officer thereof for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, as directs Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, to proceed to Knoxville, Tennessee, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to Lexington, Kentucky. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the President, Captain *Frank J. Looney*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William F. Pack*, 33d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, is, at his own request, honorably mustered out of the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

80. On the recommendation of the regimental commander, the following transfers in the 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry are ordered:

Captain *A. J. Taylor*, from Company M to Company L;

Captain *J. H. Hassinger*, from Company L to Company M.

81. By direction of the President, the following-named medical officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect from the dates set opposite their respective names:

Major *Arthur Snowden*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, October 31, 1898;

Major *John W. Bayne*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, October 31, 1898;

Major *Adrian S. Polhemus* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as brigade surgeon of Volunteers, only, November 30, 1898;

Major *Charles B. Ewing* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as brigade surgeon of Volunteers, only, November 30, 1898;

Major *Robert W. Johnson* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as brigade surgeon of Volunteers, only, November 30, 1898;

Major *Paul Shillock* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as brigade surgeon of Volunteers, only, November 30, 1898;

Major *Ogden Rafferty* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as brigade surgeon of Volunteers, only, November 30, 1898;

Major *Charles T. Newkirk*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, October 31, 1898;

Major *Walter D. McCaw* (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), as brigade surgeon of Volunteers, only, November 30, 1898.

82. By direction of the President, Captain *Augustus P. Gardner*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. By direction of the President, Captain *William McKittick*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. Additional 2d Lieutenant *E. I. Brown*, Corps of Engineers, is relieved from duty as judge advocate of the general court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, by paragraph 37, Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, and 2d Lieutenant *C. S. Patterson*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is appointed judge advocate of the said court.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from the assignments made in General Orders, No. 172, October 22, 1898, from this office, and they are assigned as follows:

Major *John L. Macumber*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as chief surgeon, 1st Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps;

Major *James D. Glennan*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky, for assignment to duty as chief surgeon, 1st Brigade, 2d Division, of that corps.

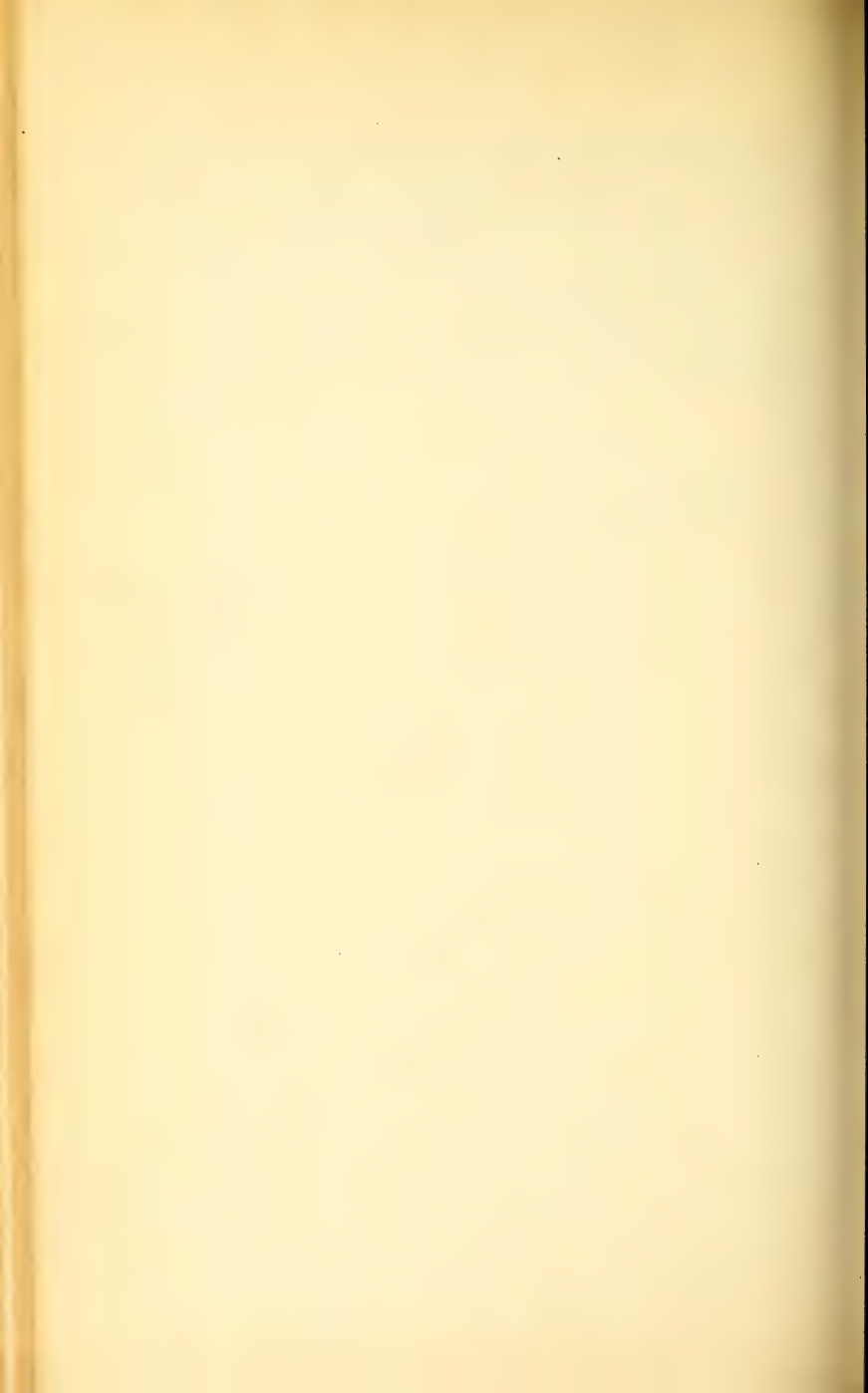
The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John P. Hains*, 3d U. S. Artillery, will proceed not later than November 8, 1898, to Boston, Massachusetts, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Erasmus M. Weaver, jr.*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry (1st Lieutenant, 2d U. S. Artillery), chief mustering officer at that place, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of Massachusetts volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 259. } Washington, November 2, 1898.

1. The following-named enlisted men of the 7th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 188, October 29, 1898, Fort Logan, Colorado, will return to their new station, Fort Wayne, Michigan:

Corporal *James Matthews*, Company H, with permission to delay five days *en route*;

Private *Samuel A. McKinney*, Company C, with permission to delay fifteen days *en route*.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph B. Batchelor, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as mustering officer in the State of Ohio, to take effect November 12, 1898, and will proceed to join his regiment at Fort Douglas, Utah. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Eben T. Tannatt*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

4. Leave of absence for seven days is granted Captain *William M. Loveland*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

5. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Halstead Dorey*, 4th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, Artificer *Charles D. Lazelle*, Company E, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, now at Washington, District of Columbia, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, and will be sent to the station of that regiment,

Adj. General

Lexington, Kentucky. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *Eaton A. Edwards*, 25th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 192, August 16, 1898, from this office, is further extended three months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

8. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William J. Broadbuss*, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 136, October 8, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

9. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *S. S. Derman*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 127, September 29, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

10. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Colonel *James H. Young*, 3d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

11. Private *George Douglas*, Company D, 10th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his regiment, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of his company.

12. So much of paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 238, October 8, 1898, from this office, as refers to Privates *George H. Bingle*, *A. R. Braby*, *S. Merceau*, *John F. Gronan*, *Richard W. Webb*, *Frank C. Woodard*, and *Samuel Zarbuehan*, is revoked.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 185, August 8, 1898, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, relating to Private *Fred L. Albritton*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is revoked.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations

designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Frank Carroll*, Troop H, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Corporal *William Meehan*, Battery K, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Private *Gustave Dommel*, Battery I, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Privates *William Hummell*, Company B; *George W. McGraw*, Company D; *Walter L. Fugh*, Company I; *James Mullen* and *Henry Weilersbacher*, Company L, and *James Romanis*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Louis A. Victor*, Hospital Corps, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Frederick W. Koering*, Hospital Corps, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Alfred J. McVeigh*, Hospital Corps, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *John M. Kuntz*, Hospital Corps, Lexington, Kentucky.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter E. Honor*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Claudius A. Summers*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *F. J. Evans*, Hospital Corps, New Ulm, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William F. Bent*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort

Trumbull, Connecticut, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Joseph M. Rogers*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, 21 Linwood street, Roxbury, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Field Brigade Hospital, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Elmer L. Schwarzberg*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Thomas W. White*, Hospital Corps, Jacksonville, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael F. Coleman*, Company G, 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Biddison*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Stahl*, Company D, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *George Meinel*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, now at Willets Point, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur D. Plumly*, Company B, 17th U. S. Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Scott Cunningham*, Hospital Corps, now attached to the 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, at Richmond, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Pashke*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *William A. Hughes*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles W. Porter*, Troop L, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at his home, 612 South Main street, Fort Worth, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert G. Gies*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

32. Colonel *Eugene Griffin*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having reported in person to the Adjutant General of the

Army, in accordance with instructions received from the Major General commanding 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, will proceed to Porto Rico and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. Captain *Frank T. Lee*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged from further attendance in the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to his home, and report on his arrival by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Daniel P. Sullivan*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

35. Leave of absence for one month is granted Major *Charles Morton*, 4th U. S. Cavalry.

36. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William A. Phillips*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 23, September 27, 1898, 3d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 67, Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, relating to 2d Lieutenant *Thomas W. Darrah*, 9th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

38. The journey from Brooklyn, New York, to Jacksonville, Florida, about September 28, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Victor L. Zimmerman*, U. S. Army, under verbal orders from Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William R. Graham*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Chicago, Illinois, to Omaha, Nebraska, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the Missouri, for duty, and by letter to the commanding general of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. Under instructions from the President, Major *Charles B. Thompson*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army), is detailed by the

Secretary of War as a member of the Army retiring board ordered to meet at San Francisco, California, by paragraph 25, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *Sedgwick Pratt*, 3d U. S. Artillery, hereby relieved.

41. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank A. Wilcox*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

42. Under the provisions of section 14, of the act of Congress, approved April 22, 1898, and upon the report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, Captain *Charles B. Kahler*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on account of physical disability, as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William F. Lippitt, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, on official business pertaining to the settlement of his accounts as Acting Medical Supply Officer, 4th Army Corps, and, on completion of this duty, will proceed to Fort Myer, Virginia, and report in person to Major *William B. Davis*, surgeon, U. S. Army, commanding U. S. General Hospital at that post, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Henry T. Allen*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

45. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry T. Ferguson*, 13th U. S. Infantry.

46. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Benjamin B. Hyer*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders,

No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include November 30, 1898, on account of sickness.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George M. Wells*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for duty in the U. S. General Hospital at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William Stephenson*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in Porto Rico and will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Marion J. Ellsworth*, Privates *Henry J. Fisher*, *Sydney Fisher*, and *Ole Lureen*, Company E, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry;

Lance Corporal *John B. Sabate*, Company I, 8th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *M. Clarence Carnes*, Company G, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Edward A. Estes*, 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 194, dated War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 18, 1898, relating to Private *Emil Ballhaus*, Company A, 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, the Commanding General, Department of the East, Governors Island, New York, will cause Private *Harry Diamant*, Company E, 71st New York Volunteers, 6 First avenue, New York City, to be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs,

Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer Company E, 71st New York Volunteers, will be directed to forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Frank M. Smith*, Company A, and *Joseph T. Hopkins*, Company L, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *William T. Kilby*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John T. Chapman*, Company G, and Private *William Johns*, Company M. 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William T. Fryar*, Company —, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 5th U. S. Volunteer In-

fantry, now at the places designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John E. Howell*, Company C, Baton Rouge, Louisiana;

Private *Thomas H. Crawford*, Company D, Ruleville, Mississippi;

Private *Eugene H. Russell*, Company D, Yokena, Mississippi;

Corporal *Claude Richards*, Company H, Bangor, Alabama;

Private *Jake Y. Holzer*, Company H, Birmingham, Alabama;

Private *Robert E. Parker*, Company M, Basham, Alabama.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

56. The journeys from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Buffalo, New York, thence to New York City, and from the latter place to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, made by Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, between October 28 and November 1, 1898, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence to include December 2, 1898, is granted Major *Jefferson D. Griffith*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

58. By direction of the President, Major *Jefferson D. Griffith*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 2, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, will proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the inspection of the Signal Corps troops at that camp, and on completion of this duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *Alfred W. Bjornstad*, 13th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 50, 8th Army Corps and Department of the

Pacific, September 16, 1898, Manila, Philippine Islands, is extended one month on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, upon the request of the Board of Commissioners of the Soldiers' Home in the District of Columbia, the Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation to this city to enable them to enter the Soldiers' Home, the cost to be refunded by the Treasurer of the Home, for—

Patrick Larney, late private, Company E, 21st U. S. Infantry, from Vancouver, Washington;

Manuel Gonzales, late private, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, from Tampa, Florida.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John Landstreet, jr.*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from the assignment as Commissary of Subsistence, 1st Brigade, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, made in General Orders, No. 172, October 22, 1898, from this office, and he is assigned as an assistant to the Chief Commissary, 2d Army Corps, to have charge under his direction of the bakeries of that corps.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Samuel N. Bridgman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence, 1st Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Theodore B. Hacker*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from the assignment as Commissary of Subsistence, 1st Brigade, 2d Division, 7th Army, made in General Orders, No. 171, October 21, 1898, from this office, and is assigned as an assistant to the Chief Commissary, 7th Army Corps, to have charge under his direction of the bakeries of that corps.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Oliver Perry-Smith*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence, 1st Brigade, 2d Division, of that corps.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Artificer *Patrick M. Fogarty*, Battery K, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Constitution, New Hampshire, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph E. Scott*, Battery B, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Andrews*, Company C, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station to enable him to enter the Soldiers' Home. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 7th U. S. Cavalry), president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Logan, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations:

Second Lieutenant *Lawrence B. Simonds*, 8th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Howard W. French*, 25th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *William B. Cochran*, 25th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Reynolds J. Burt*, 25th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Arthur R. Kerwin*, 24th U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. Captain *Lotus Niles*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is relieved from further temporary duty with Battery K of his regiment and will join his proper battery (G). The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the President, Captain *William A. Harper*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary

of War, to take effect December 20, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William H. Wassell*, 22d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

73. Leave of absence for one month from October 23, 1898, on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *Bailey K. Ashford*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

74. By direction of the President, Captain *William E. English*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the President, Lieutenant Colonel *William Ennis*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 4th U. S. Artillery), is honorably discharged from the volunteer army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Oscar A. Price*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to Brigadier General *William J. McKee*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, assigning Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, to duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Arkansas, with station at Fort Logan H. Roots, is modified so as to authorize him to take station at Little Rock, Arkansas.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Hamilton S. Wallace*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, having reported in person to the Paymaster General of the Army, is assigned to station in this city, to date from October 29, 1898.

79. The travel from Anniston, Alabama, to Montauk Point, Long Island, New York, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *John C. Hancock*, U. S. Army, under instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, about September 28, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James W. Scully*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will proceed from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Mobile, Alabama, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations, or, if upon leave of absence, to the place of receipt by them of this order:

Captain *Walter T. Duggan*, 10th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Franklin S. Hutton*, 2d U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Charles E. Russell*, 7th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Harry H. Tebbetts*, 10th U. S. Infantry.
 The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 82, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to Captain *James A. Goodin*, 7th U. S. Infantry, aid de-camp, promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 7th Infantry, subject to examination, is revoked.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles L. Davis*, 11th U. S. Infantry, is assigned to duty, to date November 2, 1898, as chief mustering officer for the State of North Carolina, with station in Raleigh, and will proceed to that point and relieve Captain *Albert Todd*, 6th U. S. Artillery, of such duties.

Captain *Albert Todd*, 6th U. S. Artillery, and 2d Lieutenant *Thomas W. Darrah*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will report to the chief mustering officer for duty as assistant mustering officers, Acting Assistant Quartermasters, Acting Commissaries of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officers;

Second Lieutenant *John F. Rowland*, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, will report to the chief mustering officer for duty as Acting Commissary of Subsistence.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph G. Ramsay*, 7th Artillery, is relieved from further duty at Fort Hamilton, New York, and assigned to duty at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, where he will join accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John B. Guthrie*, 15th U. S. Infantry, is assigned to duty, to date November 2, 1898, as chief mustering officer for the State of Iowa, with station in Des Moines, and will proceed to that point and relieve Captain *Jerauld A. Olmsted*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, of such duties:

Captain *Jerauld A. Olmsted*, 9th U. S. Cavalry; 1st Lieutenant *John F. Stephens*, 10th U. S. Infantry, and 1st Lieutenant *Edwin M. Suplee*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, will report to the chief mustering officer for duty as assistant mustering officers, Acting Assistant Quartermasters, Acting Commissaries of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officers.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to their proper stations, or, if upon leave of absence, to the place of receipt by them of this order:

First Lieutenant *Benjamin W. Atkinson*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
Second Lieutenant *Thomas W. Darrah*, 9th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *George H. Shelton*, 11th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Russell C. Langdon*, 8th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Benjamin M. Hartshorne, jr.*, 10th U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles E. Stearns*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, is extended to include October 20, 1898, on account of sickness.

88. The following named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Norton Chase*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *E. J. Renison*, Quartermaster, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

89. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *John Henshaw*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 113, September 15, 1898. 2d Army Corps, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

90. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Eugene H. Chamberlain*, 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 239, paragraph 90, October 10, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

91. Paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

Leaves of absence from October 1 to 15, 1898, are granted the following-named officers:

Captain *Frederick A. Bickel*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles A. Fries*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

92. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edwin S. Geist*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 117, 7th Army Corps, October 1, 1898, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

93. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person, without delay, to Major

Egon A. Koerper, surgeon, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to their proper stations, or, if upon leave of absence, to the place of receipt by them of this order:

First Lieutenant *Charles McQuiston*, 4th U. S. Infantry;
 First Lieutenant *Fielder M. M. Beall*, 18th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Lorrain T. Richardson*, 20th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Morton F. Smith*, 20th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Glenn H. Davis*, 12th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Fine W. Smith*, 12th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Oscar J. Charles*, 10th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Dwight W. Ryther*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Clarence N. Purdy*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Houston V. Evans*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *Louis H. Gross*, 6th U. S. Infantry;
 Second Lieutenant *George H. Steel*, 19th U. S. Infantry.
 The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

94. By direction of the President, the following-named officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect from the dates set opposite their respective names, their services being no longer required:

Captain *John L. Sehon*, Assistant Adjutant General (1st Lieutenant, 20th U. S. Infantry), November 15, 1898;

Captain *Samuel Seay, jr.*, Assistant Adjutant General (1st Lieutenant, 14th U. S. Infantry), November 31, 1898;

Captain *Robert L. Howze*, Assistant Adjutant General (1st Lieutenant, 6th U. S. Cavalry), December 31, 1898;

Captain *Walter A. Bethel*, Assistant Adjutant General (1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Artillery), December 31, 1898;

Captain *Edmund L. Butts*, Assistant Adjutant General (1st Lieutenant, 5th U. S. Infantry), November 15, 1898;

Captain *Douglas Settle*, Assistant Adjutant General (1st Lieutenant, 10th U. S. Infantry), December 31, 1898;

Captain *William J. Sewell*, Assistant Adjutant General, December 7, 1898;

Captain *Davis Elkins*, Assistant Adjutant General, November 15, 1898;

Captain *Edward Anderson*, Assistant Adjutant General, (1st Lieutenant, 7th U. S. Cavalry), December 31, 1898;

Captain *Hallet A. Borrowe*, Assistant Adjutant General, November 15, 1898;

Captain *Raymon G. Mendoza*, Assistant Adjutant General, December 31, 1898;

Major *William W. McCammon*, Assistant Adjutant General (Captain, 14th U. S. Infantry), November 30, 1898.

Captains *Sewell*, *Elkins*, *Borrowe*, and *Mendoza*, will proceed to their homes. The other officers named will proceed to join their respective regiments on the dates specified above. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS. } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 260. } Washington, November 3, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Brown*, Troop F, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph J. Niehoff*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert A. Reiling*, Company D, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Terence M. Flood*, Company G, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

5. Sergeant *Peter Gallagher*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred as private to Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Sam G. Mullen*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jesse G. Cope*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

Inspector General.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Olof Johnson*, Company I, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Wenner*, General Service, enlisted at Cleveland, Ohio, October 7, 1898, and now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Collins*, Battery L, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Pinnell*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at 47 Cadellac Square, Detroit, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 2d Division Hospital, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James P. Harrington*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lewis Zelley*, Troop K, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph G. Graver*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at 404 Fidelity Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the U. S. mustering officer at that station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William M. Power*, Company I, 11th U. S. Infantry, now in confinement at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of that post, by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Hospital Steward *Fred R. Elsmer*, now at Fort Porter, New York, will be sent to Fort Riley, Kansas, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty;

Hospital Steward *Anton Gumness*, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, will upon the arrival of Steward *Elsmer* be sent to Augusta, Georgia, and will report upon his arrival to the Commanding General, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, for duty.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry I. Crow*, Company C, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James W. Price*, Troop K, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. Private *Samuel J. Burke*, Company —, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, is transferred to the 7th U. S. Infantry at that post.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Clayton A. Neiswanger*, Company A, 22d U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home, Washington, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *William H. Fox*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Privates *Phil O'Neil*, Troop A, and *Paul E. Oswald*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Wilhelm Haggvist*, Troop D, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *Fred A. Godt*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *James Brawley*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Privates *John Lockwood* and *Edward W. Reichert*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Privates *Greene B. Caywood*, Company A, and *William G. Seagle*, Company F, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Walter Weichert*, Company D, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Louis Germann*, Company A, and *Frank J. May*, Company G, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Porter, New York;

Privates *Otto F. Beste*, *Frank F. Bierce*, *William F. Bohle*, *C. O. Frommer*, *John M. Gray*, and *Arthur E. Luzzi*, Hospital Corps, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Hans Gasmann*, Hospital Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Harry B. Little*, Hospital Corps, The Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Christopher W. Lutterman*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Lucius C. Bennett*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

23. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Philip E. Reville*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 85, October 5, 1898, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *C. W. Schamber*, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 10, 1898;

First Lieutenant *William G. Massarene*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

25. First Lieutenant *W. O. Reed*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, will proceed from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to his home and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the President, the following named officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect from the dates set opposite their respective names, their services being no longer required:

Lieutenant Colonel *George W. Goethals*, Chief Engineer Officer of Volunteers (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), December 31, 1898.

Major *Clement A. F. Flagler*, engineer officer of volunteers (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), December 31, 1898;

Major *Spencer Cosby*, engineer officer of volunteers (Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), December 31, 1898;

Major *Graham D. Fitch*, engineer officer of volunteers (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), December 31, 1898;

Major *William W. Harts*, engineer officer of volunteers (1st Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), November 30, 1898;

Major *John W. Barker*, chief ordnance officer of volunteers, November 30, 1898;

Major *Andrew H. Russell*, chief ordnance officer of volunteers (Captain, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army), November 30, 1898.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers to consist of—

Major *Daniel M. Taylor*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Captain *George A. Dodd*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

Captain *Sydney W. Taylor*, 4th U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Ervin L. Phillips*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, recorder;

is appointed to meet at Springfield Armory, Springfield, Massachusetts, at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, November 8, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to examine into the question of a revolver most suitable for the Cavalry Arm of the U. S. Army. The board will consider the subject in accord.

ance with instructions and information to be forwarded to it by the Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army.

Such journeys as it may be necessary for the members of the board to make in attending its sessions, and rejoining their proper stations upon the adjournment of the board, are necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward L. Randall*, 5th U. S. Infantry, having been examined by a board of officers and found physically disqualified for the duties of major of infantry, by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement by the President from active service, as a major, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, is announced, to date from September 17, 1898, the date he would have been promoted to that grade, by reason of seniority, if found qualified. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Willis J. Raynor*, U. S. Army, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Logan, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, *vice* Acting Assistant Surgeon *John A. Murtagh*, U. S. Army, who is hereby relieved.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the sick leave of absence granted Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, in telegram of October 19, 1898, from this office, is changed to ordinary leave of absence for one month, to take effect from that date.

31. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *James M. Lancaster*, 4th U. S. Artillery.

32. Leave of absence for fifteen days, from the date of his relief as mustering officer at Des Moines, Iowa, is granted Captain *Daniel L. Howell*, 7th U. S. Infantry.

33. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank F. Crenshaw*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 41, October 1, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended twenty-one days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of

leave of absence granted Captain *John J. O'Connell*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

35. The following transfers are made in the 9th U. S. Infantry, to take effect this date:

Captain *Frank L. Dodds*, from Company A to Company L;

Captain *Robert H. Anderson*, from Company L to Company A.

36. The resignation of 2d Lieutenant *Gerard B. Hoppin*, 5th U. S. Infantry, has been accepted by the President, to take effect November 3, 1898.

37. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Cornelius C. Smith*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include November 30, 1898, on account of sickness.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, 3d Lieutenant *Thomas C. Butler*, 9th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry (private, Company H, 25th U. S. Infantry), recently appointed, will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding officer, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 80, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *William H. Beck*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, to report for examination for promotion before the board at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is revoked.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William H. Beck*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, will report in person, without delay, to Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 7th U. S. Cavalry), president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Logan, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank I. Disbrow*, U. S. Army, when his services can be spared, is relieved from further duty in Porto Rico and

will be ordered by the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, to proceed to New York City, New York, and on arrival there to report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John S. Schaub*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Leechburg to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles J. Symmonds*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as Acting Quartermaster of the Cavalry Brigade, 7th Army Corps, and will join his regiment.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George K. McGunnegle*, 15th U. S. Infantry, now on leave of absence, is assigned to temporary duty, to date November 2, 1898, as chief mustering officer for the District of Columbia. Upon completion of the above duties he will revert to the status of leave.

Second Lieutenant *Clarence H. McNeil*, 5th U. S. Artillery, and 2d Lieutenant *Hugh La F. Applewhite*, 6th U. S. Artillery, will report to the chief mustering officer as assistant mustering officers, Acting Assistant Quartermasters, Acting Commissaries of Subsistence and acting ordnance officers.

45. Leave of absence from September 5, 1898, to October 5, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Alexander T. Ovenshine*, 17th U. S. Infantry.

46. By direction of the President, the following-named officers are honorably discharged from the volunteer army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, their services being no longer required:

Lieutenant Colonel *Frank Greene*, chief signal officer, Volunteer Signal Corps (Captain, Signal Corps, U. S. Army);

Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, chief signal officer, Volunteer Signal Corps (1st Lieutenant, Signal Corps, U. S. Army),

47. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Lee C. Hoyl*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the

service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

48. First Lieutenant *Francis H. Beach*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, will be relieved from duty at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, upon the receipt of this order by the commanding officer of that post, and will then proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Colonel *R. G. Smith*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *H. M. Smith*, assistant surgeon, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry R. Carter, jr.*, U. S. Army.

51. Major *William H. Rexford*, paymaster, National Armory, Ordnance Storekeeper, U. S. Army, having been found by an Army retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement from active service this date by the President, under the provisions of section 1251, Revised Statutes, is announced by the Secretary of War. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the journey performed by Lieutenant Colonel *Frank I. Rutledge*, 18th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, to Delaware City, Delaware, June 26 and 27, 1898, in rejoining his regiment after the completion of his duties on recruiting service in the former city, is approved by the Secretary of War as necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army:

John Horn;

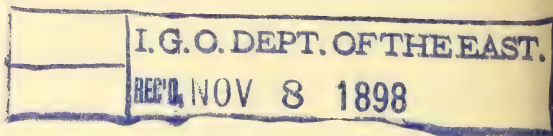
Ray A. Wilson.

54. Captain *Chase W. Kennedy*, 8th U. S. Infantry, recently promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Infantry, will pro-

ceed to join his regiment upon the expiration of his present leave of absence. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 261. } Washington, November 4, 1898.

1. Private *Frank Parsohu*, unassigned, 2d U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his regiment, Anniston, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Floyd Nicken*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, and report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations, in advance, at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Walter S. Volkmar*, 4th U. S. Artillery (Battery D), is relieved from further duty with Light Battery F, 2d Artillery, to which he was assigned by Special Orders, No. 1, Light Artillery Battalion, near San Juan River, Cuba, July 7, 1898, and from further duty as Adjutant of the Light Artillery Battalion, to which he was assigned by Special Orders, No. 2, Light Artillery Battalion, near San Juan River, July 10, 1898, and will proceed to Fort McHenry, Maryland, and join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Dreman*, Company K, 15th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Sergeant *John Dillon*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Myer, Virginia to Fort Sheridan, Illinois. He will be sent to that post and will report for duty upon his arrival to the commanding officer to relieve 2d Class Private *John Ferguson*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army. Private *Ferguson* when thus relieved will be sent to Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report upon his arrival to 1st Lieutenant *George C. Burnell*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

Inspector General

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Siebold*, Troop H, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Friend Bennette Gilpin*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Corps, now at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 256, October 29, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank Schuh*, Company D, 6th U. S. Infantry, is amended to read Company "B," 6th U. S. Infantry.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles J. Ross*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division Hospital, 4th Army Corps, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that Hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter Zimmer*, Troop F, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ernest S. Fay*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Lewis M. H. Potter*, U. S. Army, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William E. Mansfield*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, now at his home, No. 413 9th street NW., Washington, District of Columbia, will be dis-

charged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that company, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier's address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto E. Sonnenwald*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, will be sent to Fort McPherson, Georgia. He will report upon his arrival at that place to the surgeon in charge of the U. S. General Hospital there.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Albert B. Henderson* and *William M. Spicer*, Hospital Corps, now in Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee, are transferred to the 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry at that station.

16. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, November 2, 1898.

By direction of the President, Brigadier General *Evan Miles*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 1st U. S. Infantry), is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States, to take effect January 10, 1899, his services being no longer required. Upon the expiration of his sick leave of absence he will join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

17. The extension of leave of absence granted Major *Alpheus H. Bowman*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month.

18. Paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, granting a leave of absence for one month to 1st Lieutenant *Vernon A. Caldwell*, 25th U. S. Infantry, to take effect on or about November 1, 1898, is so amended as to take effect on or about December 1, 1898.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Francis N. Fullerton*, Company F, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George M. Vineyard*, Company M, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. Private *William S. Way, jr.*, Company E, 7th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, now at Columbus, Ohio, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company F, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Sidney D. Wilgus*, Company H, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 62, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Sergeant *J. L. Little*, Company I, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read: "This soldier is *not* entitled to travel-pay."

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George Flesch*, Company A, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First Sergeant *Herbert N. Dunlap*, Company G, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *Ellis B. Gray*, 1st Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Rufus U. Atkins*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Robert B. Snyder*, Company K, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of August 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Phillip W. Seipp*, Company G, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *D. L. Fulton*, Company B, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frank T. Trahan*, Company B; Corporal *W. D. Kolb*, Private *Robert U. Barkley, jr.*, Company D; Corporal *Hugo W. Speckels*, Privates *J. E. Chofin*, *John Stone*, *James H. Muse*, Company H, and Corporal *Charles Bacon*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *John M. Weekes*, Company E, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 14, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Murray Phillip, jr.*, Company M, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ritchie G. Betts*, Company B, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Nathan Winslow*, Company H, and Private *Daniel T. Bowers*, Company B, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *John H. Muhl*, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Arthur L. Beebe*, 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Abraham Lasky*, Company M, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles W. Zentgraf*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George A. Troteman*, Company F, 8th California Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Robert W. Brewer*, Company E, and Private *Edward Rutledge, jr.*, Company B, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George E. Begerow*, Company B, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Fred H. Brill*, Company H, 4th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John L. Reed*, Troop L, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *James J. Meehan*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Leo J. Palda*, Company A, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *W. A. McKee*, Company G, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ross A. Loutzenhiser*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William Mott*, Company C, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frederick R. Miller*, Company C, and Quartermaster Sergeant *John J. Dunn*, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert C. Wilson*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank P. Flynn*, Company D, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

34. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas H. Wilson*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 27, October 1, 1898, 3d Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 256, October 29, 1898, from this office, detailing 1st Lieutenant *George E. Houle*, 3d U. S. Infantry, as assistant mustering officer for the State of Wisconsin, is revoked.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Charles R. Miller*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

37. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *James V. Heidt*, 6th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 93, September 17, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

38. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Colville P. Terrett*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Sanford E. Elliott*, Company F, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Joseph W. Pross*, Company A; Private *E. J. Doult*, Company E; Sergeant *William F. Knight* and Private *Sherman K. Parkinson*, Company G, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ed Fallen*, Company B, and Corporal *James K. Eagle*, Company M, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George Jones*, Company A, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant Major *Frank J. Ensign*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *John E. J. Clare*, Company C, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Guy V. Turner*, 6th Company; Private *Frederick L. Ham*, 11th Company; Corporal *Haslett P. Burke* and Private *Elbert Rankin*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Privates *Joseph Korhummel*, Company H, and *Fred Rascher*, Company I, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Henry F. Wardwell*, Company H, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Ward P. Mills* and *James H. Windham*, Company I, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Earl W. Burton*, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *George L. Byroade*, 3d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

45. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank R. McCoy*, 10th U. S. Cavalry.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edgar D. Evans*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *G. F. Vowinkel, jr.*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Harry B. Lamason*, Company G, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William G. Leifer*, Company M, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edward H. Noetzel*, Company I, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George H. Lancer*, Band, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *H. H. McFann*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frederick Meeks*, Company H, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *T. H. Monroe* and *Robert Y. Weymouth*, Company C, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Robert B. Huston*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, now on temporary duty in this city, under verbal instructions from the Secretary of War, is assigned to duty in the office of the Paymaster General of the Army, with station in Washington, District of Columbia, to date from September 30, 1898, and will report in person to Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, for instruction.

52. The leave of absence granted Captain *Robert F. Ames*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 124, current series, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

53. By direction of the President, Major *James M. Jenne*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 3, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John H. Parker*, 13th U. S. Infantry, after having completed the duties assigned him in paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, will return to Fort

Leavenworth, Kansas, and perform the duties assigned him in paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 245, October 17, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Louis C. Scherer*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to New Ulm, Minnesota, and report in person to Captain *George H. Morgan*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer at that place, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer in connection with the muster out of service of Minnesota volunteers. Upon completion of this duty, Captain *Scherer* will return to Washington, District of Columbia, and report to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *James D. Armstrong*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lunsford P. Yandell*, Company C, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Reinholdt Vollmer*, Company B, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Albert Van Duzer*, Company D, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

Private *Ralph S. Tankersley*, Company E, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Guy McLaughlin*, Company A, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Robert H. McCullagh*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles W. Stiles*, Company L, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *George W. Kirkman*, 8th Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Joseph P. Farley*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed twelve visits to the works of the Firth-Stirling Steel Company, Demmler, Pennsylvania, and not to exceed twelve visits to the works of the Braeburn Steel Company, Braeburn, Pennsylvania, during the months of November and December, 1898, and January, 1899, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank E. Hobbs*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits to the works of the Dickson Manufacturing Company, Scranton, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Samuel T. Armstrong*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to Briga-

dier General *Louis H. Carpenter*, U. S. Volunteers, upon his arrival there for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William K. Alexander*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to Brigadier General *Louis H. Carpenter*, U. S. Volunteers, upon his arrival there for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 7, 1898:

Chaplain *Elwin L. House*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *John H. Marion*, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George M. McCormick*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 10, 1898.

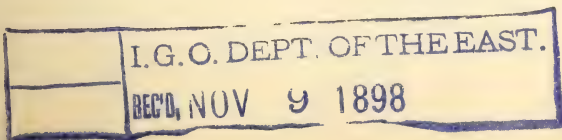
69. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas F. Barry*, Quartermaster, Battalion California Volunteer Heavy Artillery, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 228, September 27, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *Francis T. Underhill*, Regimental Quartermaster, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read as follows:

Captain *Francis T. Underhill*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 5, 1898.

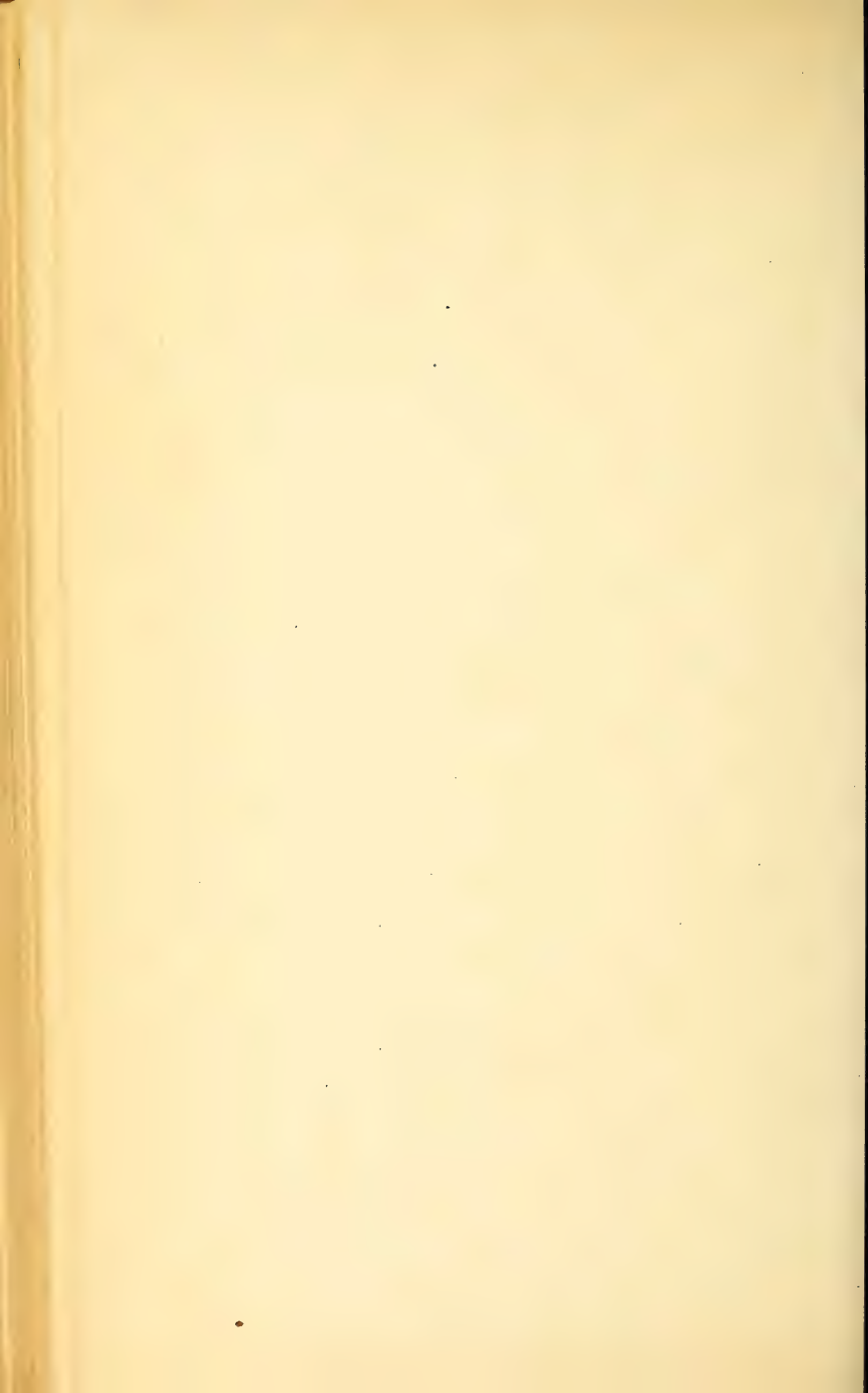
BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.









SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 262. } Washington, November 5, 1898.

1. Private *Oliver Welton*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Newnan, Georgia, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 10th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment at Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Frederick H. Pilon* and 2d Class Privates *Frank J. Levy* and *Daniel Shelley*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Clay E. Howell*, Troop L, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *William A. Wilson*, Troop M, 5th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Charles S. Kratz*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Edward Lewis*, Troop I, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James Whalen*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Privates *Douglas Ross* and *Robert J. Ross*, Company —, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *George C. Clisby*, *Clyde C. Tidd*, *Howard Moffett*, and *Fred M. Lynn*, Hospital Corps, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Henry C. Coppage*, Hospital Corps, Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Charles S. Lavender*, Hospital Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Privates *Chancel Joseph*, *Arthur Destor, jr.*, *Hugh P. Frere*, *George F. Hutchins*, *Thomas A. Matthews*, *John J. Walsh*,

Specto General

Robert L. Arnold, Edwin L. Bernard, Peter Cullata, Wakefield Arbery, and Benjamin F. Chambers, Hospital Corps, Jacksonville, Florida;

Acting Hospital Steward *William H. Beste* and *Godlove D. Heidbreder*, Hospital Corps, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Simon M. Lutz*, Hospital Corps, Porto Rico.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Charles Blumeling*, Hospital Corps, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be sent to Fort Myer, Virginia, to report for duty upon arrival at that post to the surgeon in charge U. S. General Hospital there.

4. Private *Frederick Prochaska*, Band, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Angel Island, San Francisco, California, will be transferred to Band, 3d U. S. Artillery, at that post, and will report to the commanding officer for duty.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Hensel*, Band, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur F. Sharpe*, Company H, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be in hospital at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick A. Fraser*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, 3702 Spruce street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel J. Deasy*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Mubry*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, 396 Erie street, Cleveland, Ohio. will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge U. S. General Hospital, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. Corporal *Samuel H. Harris*, Company E, 25th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to Fort Wingate, New Mexico.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for six days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Guy A. Carter*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough at Baltimore, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of the 6th U. S. Cavalry, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ralph Hart*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at New Ulm, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the chief mustering officer at that place. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Lieutenant Colonel *William D. Wolverton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Lieutenant Colonel *Wirt Davis*, 8th U. S. Cavalry;

Major *Frank W. Hess*, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Captain *Frank Taylor*, 14th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *George A. Skinner*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *William S. Graves*, 7th U. S. Infantry, recorder.

Such journeys as Major *Hess* and Lieutenant *Skinner* may be required to make between their stations and Vancouver Barracks and return in attending the meetings of the board are necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person, without delay, to Lieutenant Colonel *William D. Wolverton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army president of the examining board appointed to meet at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, by Special Orders, No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations:

First Lieutenant *Charles P. George*, 16th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Joseph P. O'Neil*, 25th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Albert S. Brookes*, 18th U. S. Infantry (Captain and Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers).

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *James M. Marshall*, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, now at Lexington, Kentucky, will proceed to San Francisco, California, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, for assignment to duty as Chief Quartermaster of that department, to relieve Major *Charles B. Thompson*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William H. Thrift*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Chicago, Illinois, to St. Louis, Missouri, on official business pertaining to the payment of mustered-out volunteer troops, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion:

Detail for the board.

Major *Cyrus S. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Daniel H. Brush*, 17th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Charles St. J. Chubb*, 17th U. S. Infantry;
 Captain *Ashton B. Heyl*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;
 First Lieutenant *Clarence J. Manly*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

First Lieutenant *Lucius L. Durfee*, 17th U. S. Infantry, recorder.

Such journeys as Captain *Heyl* and Lieutenant *Manly* may be required to make between their stations and Columbus Barracks and return in attending the meetings of the board are necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person without delay to Major *Cyrus S. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, by Special Orders, No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations, or, if upon leave of absence, to the places of receipt by them of this order:

First Lieutenant *William C. Wren*, 17th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Frank J. Morrow*, 17th U. S. Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 5th U. S. Infantry, subject to examination);

First Lieutenant *William A. Raibourn*, 10th U. S. Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 4th U. S. Infantry, subject to examination);

First Lieutenant *Robert S. Offley*, 7th U. S. Infantry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 10th U. S. Infantry, subject to examination);

Second Lieutenant *Alexander T. Ovenshine*, 17th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Ira L. Reeves*, 17th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Charles D. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry,
 The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William L. Hughes*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 216, paragraph 17, September 13, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

20. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Peter B. Cummings*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders,

No. 91, September 5, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended eleven days on account of sickness.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 49, Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *George W. Burr*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, is revoked.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Halsey C. Gavitt*, U. S. Army, is assigned to duty at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, to take effect upon the expiration of his sick leave of absence, and will report in person accordingly to the commanding officer of that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles C. Clark*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Edward B. Ives*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty with the 6th Signal Corps Company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James L. Bevans*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Decatur, Illinois, to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. General Hospital at that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, Veterinary Surgeon *S. W. Service*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, is discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 15, 1898.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *F. A. E. Disney*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Ringgold, Texas, to Waterbury, Connecticut, and on arrival there will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Elias Chandler*, 1st U. S. Infantry, recently mustered out as Colonel, 1st Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to join the 1st U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. With the approval of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month is granted Captain *Elias Chandler*, 1st U. S. Infantry.

29. Under instructions from the President, Post Chaplain *I. Newton Ritner*, U. S. Army, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, president of the army retiring board appointed to meet at Fort Columbus, New York, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board. Upon the completion of his examination Post Chaplain *Ritner* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Lee A. Stone*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at Louisville, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico. The discharge papers will be forwarded to the soldier in care of Colonel *L. C. Murray*, American National Bank, Louisville, Kentucky. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

31. Captain *Jefferson Wilcox*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having reported in person to the Adjutant General of the Army, pursuant to orders from Headquarters, Department of Santiago, October 1, 1898, will proceed to his home and thence report to the Adjutant General by telegraph for further orders.

32. The telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Musician *Charles Hart-sough*, Company K, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, to the 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, at that station, are hereby confirmed. He will report to the commanding officer of the regiment to which he has been transferred for duty.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 212, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, September 8, 1898, as relates to Sergeant *William D. Sumner* and Private *Albert D. Penney*, Company G, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Quartermaster Sergeant *George A. Lane*, Company I, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, and Private *Henry E. Clay*, Company I,

2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, are, upon their own applications, transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps and will report to Captain *Frank E. Lyman, jr.*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that station, for duty.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Corporal *Clarence W. Wheeler*, Company D, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, as a private, to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 257, October 31, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Alfred W. H. Ecoff*, Company D, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Perry M. Evans*, Company E, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William A. Wippert*, Company F, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank B. Bish*, Company H, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *James W. Hillman*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory, to take effect upon the expiration of his leave of absence, and will then report in person to the

commanding officer, Plattsburg Barracks, New York, for temporary duty at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Philip P. Powell*, 9th Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 230, September 29, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

42. First Lieutenant *John S. Grisard*, Adjutant, 7th U. S. Infantry, now in hospital at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for medical treatment at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James G. Harbord*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, recently mustered out as Major, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and join the 10th U. S. Cavalry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The journey performed by 1st Lieutenant *James E. Hewes*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, from Baltimore, Maryland, to Peekskill, New York, under the orders of his battalion commander, July 6, 1898, on official business, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

45. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William F. Schwin*, Quartermaster, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 115, September 29, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frank Fechter*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, will, upon completing the duty assigned him at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, proceed to join his regiment in Porto Rico. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Alexander J. Taylor*, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

48. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Thomas D. A. Lawler*, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, in Special Or-

ders, No. 124, September 26, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank D. Newberry*, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Oscar Le Seure*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at the Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Stephen W. Groesbeck*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to Governors Island, New York, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the East, for assignment to temporary duty as Judge Advocate until the return of the Judge Advocate of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Albert Hartsuff*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, having reported to the Adjutant General of the Army in this city, will proceed to Chicago, Illinois, and resume his duties as chief surgeon, Department of the Lakes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Lawson M. Fuller*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits during the month of November, 1898, from Baltimore, Maryland, to the works of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, Steelton, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of sea-coast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles F. Craig*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Vir-

ginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George W. Van Deusen*, Adjutant, 1st U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Alabama, and will proceed to Sullivans Island, South Carolina, and there join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles H. Heyl*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, for assignment to duty as Inspector General of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Clyde D. V. Hunt*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 7th Army Corps, and will proceed at once from Savannah, Georgia, to Port Tampa, Florida, and there take passage on a steamer of the Plant System, and proceed thereon to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops for assignment to duty as an assistant to Colonel *Charles W. Williams*, Depot Quartermaster at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Rudolph J. Haas*, 34th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

59. Leave of absence for twenty-one days is granted 1st Lieutenant *William M. Swaine*, 22d U. S. Infantry.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John W. Bayne*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, having reported, in compliance with paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 199, August 24, 1898, from this office, and having been placed on duty September 1, 1898, by the Surgeon General of the Army, in charge of all sick men of the Army arriving in Washington, District of Columbia, etc., is assigned to duty in this city accordingly.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *R. Emmett Giffin*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, on or about November 15, 1898, and report in person to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles C. Marbury*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Leiter U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, and when his services are no longer needed at that hospital will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Francis L. Guenther*, 4th U. S. Artillery, and Major *William A. Simpson*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army, are detailed, under the provisions of General Orders, No. 41, June 24, 1897, from this office, relating to the examination of medical officers, as members of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, in this city, by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for service therewith only during the examination of such officers as may have been reported by the board as physically disqualified for promotion.

64. Leave of absence for fourteen days to take effect upon the completion of his duty at Huntsville, Alabama, is granted Captain *William F. Lippitt, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

65. The verbal order of Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, president of the Commission on the Evacuation of Porto Rico, directing Brigadier General *William W. Gordon*, U. S. Volunteers, a member of the commission, upon the completion of its work, to return to this city, and report to the Adjutant General of the Army, is confirmed by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Brigadier General *William W. Gordon*, U. S. Volunteers, is extended ten days.

67. By direction of the President, the following named general officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer

Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect from the dates set opposite their respective names, their services being no longer required:

Brigadier General *Charles E. Compton* (Colonel, 4th U. S. Cavalry), December 6, 1898;

Brigadier General *Adelbert Ames*, January 3, 1899.

General *Compton* is relieved from further duty with the 1st Army Corps, and, on the date specified above, will join his regiment.

General *Ames* is relieved from further duty with the 2d Army Corps, and will proceed to his home.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the President, the following-named medical officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 5, 1898, their services being no longer required:

Lieutenant Colonel *John Van R. Hoff*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Major and surgeon, U. S. Army);

Lieutenant Colonel *Valery Havard*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Major and surgeon, U. S. Army).

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William Wallace*, 7th U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Captain *William Black*, 24th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer at Indianapolis, Indiana, for assignment to duty as his assistant.

70. Captain *Francis J. Kernan*, 2d U. S. Infantry, recently promoted from 1st Lieutenant, 21st U. S. Infantry, now in San Francisco, California, will proceed to join the 2d U. S. Infantry, December 4, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George W. Baird*, paymaster, U. S. Army, accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk, will proceed from this city to Richmond, Virginia, on official business pertaining to the payment of the 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the President, Major *Martin L. Focht*,

brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 5, 1898, his services being no longer required.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Rafael Echeverria*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty with the 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, and will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general U. S. troops at that place, for assignment to duty with the 8th U. S. Cavalry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George B. Duncan*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Lexington, Kentucky, to Chicago, Illinois, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes, for assignment to duty as an assistant to the Adjutant General of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Samuel R. Whittall*, 16th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 214, September 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

76. Leave of absence for two months is granted 1st Lieutenant *William H. Johnston*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Eugene F. Ladd*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 110, October 17, 1898, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence to include December 1, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Otway W. Rash*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

79. The resignation of 1st Lieutenant *Otway W. Rash*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, has been accepted by the President, to take effect December 1, 1898.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 94, Special Orders, No. 259, November 2, 1898, from

this office, as requires 1st Lieutenant *Robert L. Howze*, 6th U. S. Cavalry; *Walter A. Bethel*, 3d U. S. Artillery, and *Edward Anderson*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, to join their respective regiments upon the date of their discharge from the Volunteer Army of the United States, is revoked, and they will continue on duty at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for seven days is granted Major *James E. Shellenberger*, surgeon, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, with permission to avail himself of such leave immediately.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 263. } Washington, November 7, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter L. Brown*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post. He will report to the surgeon in charge of hospital there.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry Smith*, Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, now supposed to be at his home, 1343 E street southeast, Washington, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. Musician *William H. James*, Battery C, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be transferred to Battery B, 6th U. S. Artillery, at that post. He will report to the commanding officer, Battery B, 6th U. S. Artillery, for duty.

4. So much of paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 257, October 31, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Lewis C. Henry*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Abercrombie*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. He will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and report upon arrival at that place to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, relating to Hospital Steward *Herman Harbers*, is amended to read Washington, District of Columbia, instead of "Washington Barracks, District of Columbia."

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank P. Wagner*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, now supposed to be at his home, Pitts-

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burg, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Gustave Curie, jr.*, Company B, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan, now supposed to be at his home, 45 Market street, Paterson, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his company, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Ordnance Sergeant *James Ruby* (appointed November 1, 1898, from 1st Sergeant Company F, 11th U. S. Infantry), now on furlough at 109 Connection street, Newport, Rhode Island, will, on expiration of his furlough, be sent to Sabine Pass, Texas, and will, upon arrival, report to the commanding officer in charge of the batteries at that place.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred Aloe*, Troop E, 8th U. S. Cavalry, commissioned 2d Lieutenant of Infantry (18th U. S. Infantry), September 19, 1898, will be discharged the service of the United States to date September 18, 1898, by the commanding officer of the 8th U. S. Cavalry, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Berthold De Linde*, Company B, 16th U. S. Infantry, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon in charge of the Hospital Corps Company of Instruction at that post.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers, to enable them to enter the Soldiers' Home, Washington, District of Columbia:

Sergeant *Henry W. Taylor*, Company G, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Sergeant *John Arnold* and Private *Barney Camphaus*, Company D, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *Silas A. Coles*, Company D, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *George Bluto*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter Heckel*, Company M, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon in charge of the U. S. General Hospital at that post.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Martin H. Ryerson*, Troop M, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Cornelius M. Sullivan*, Battery I, and *Edwin R. Gault*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *William McAvilla*, Troop G, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Harry Chamberlain*, Hospital Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *David L. Burnell*, Hospital Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Rufus R. Moore*, Hospital Corps, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *William Markee*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the President, Major *Joseph K. Weaver*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 5, 1898, his services being no longer re-

quired. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Lewis Balch*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Meadville, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as chief surgeon, 2d Brigade, 2d Division, of that corps.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William J. Pardee*, 25th U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Brigadier General *Elwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 7th U. S. Cavalry), president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Logan, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, under instructions from the President, the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, will convene such boards of officers, from time to time, as may be necessary, for the examination of officers serving in that department, to determine their fitness for promotion under the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890.

The boards will be constituted under and their proceedings governed by the rules prescribed by the President, as published in General Orders, No. 41, June 24, 1897, War Department, Adjutant General's Office.

20. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Howard G. Young*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 240, October 11, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty-one days on account of sickness.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *David M. King*, 4th U. S. Artillery, will report in person, in due time for examination, to Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at 10 o'clock a. m., November 15, 1898, at the Army Building, New York City, for the examination of Lieutenants of the line of the Army, with a view to selections for transfer to the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and upon the completion of his examination will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 257, October 31, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *John F. Wingo*, Company M, 23d U. S. Infantry, Philippine Islands, is amended to read Camp Merriam, San Francisco, California, instead of "Philippine Islands."

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *J. Bernard Pulsifer*, Hospital Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marvin L. Hull*, Troop C, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, now supposed to be at his home, 2919 Olive street, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person, without delay, to Colonel *William H. Powell*, 9th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Madison Barracks, New York, by Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations:

Captain *Frederick H. E. Ebstein*, 21st U. S. Infantry;

Captain *James A. Goodin*, 7th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *André W. Brewster*, 9th U. S. Infantry (Captain and Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers);

First Lieutenant *Frank DeW. Ramsey*, 9th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *James W. Clinton*, 7th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Fred L. Munson*, 9th U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. Leave of absence for two months is granted 1st Lieutenant *W. O. Reed*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Major *Frank Boyd*, surgeon, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 20, 1898;

Captain *Waldo E. Gibbs*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 15, 1898.

28. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *Gilmore G. Scranton*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 146, October 18, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Chaplain *Ken C. Hayes*, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *D. S. Humphreys*, assistant surgeon, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Fred W. Salley*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles E. Lehman*, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations of officers of the Medical Department are made:

First Lieutenant *Basil H. Dutcher*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Fort Du Chesne, Utah, for duty at that post, to relieve 1st Lieutenant *Irving W. Rand*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado.

Lieutenant *Rand*, on being thus relieved, will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Pacific and the 8th Army Corps, for assignment to duty.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. The following-named enlisted men, now at Kansas City, Missouri, are transferred to the 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Jacksonville, Florida:

Sergeant *Robert E. Rodgers*, Privates *Julian M. Turner*, *John A. Phillips*, and *Ernest P. James*, Company B, 3d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

32. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *David H. Gildersleeve*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 126, September 28, 1898, from Headquarters 2d Army Corps, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the assignment of medical officers are ordered:

Major *George R. Fowler*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as chief surgeon, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, and will report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty;

Major *Paul Clendenin*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now on duty with the 7th Army Corps, is assigned to duty as chief surgeon, 2d Division, of that corps.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis A. Holliday*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Willets Point, New York, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Isaac W. Brewer*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 149, current series, 2d Army Corps, is extended sixteen days on account of sickness.

36. The journey from Washington, District of Columbia, to New York City, New York, performed by Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, on September 28, 1898, in rejoining his station after complying with paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 227, September 26, 1898, from this office, is approved by the Secretary of War, as having been necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 240, October 11, 1898, from this office, as directs the discharge of Private *John F. Page*, Troop D, 1st U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, without travel-pay, is amended to direct his discharge with travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Gustave C. Thieme*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Huntsville, Alabama, and will proceed to his home, Baltimore, Maryland, and report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. Third-class Musician *John H. F. Wiegand*, U. S. Military Academy Band, having been tried and found guilty of conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in violation of the 62d Article of War (repeated), by a general court-martial convened at West Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To forfeit to the United States ten dollars (\$10) of his pay.*"

The sentence was approved November 4, 1898, and will be duly executed.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ezequiel de la Calle*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 7th Army Corps, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *James F. Wade*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty as sanitary inspector. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William M. Wallace*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, for duty therewith during the examinations of captains only, as indicated in paragraph 81, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Lieutenant Colonel *Camillo C. C. Carr*, 5th U. S. Cavalry (recently promoted from Major, 8th U. S. Cavalry), who is hereby relieved.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Turrill*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is detailed as a member of examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *Charles M. Gandy*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), who is hereby relieved.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *J. Edward Dupont*, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *C. W. Westmoreland*, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank E. Artaud*, U. S. Army, now on duty with the 7th Army Corps, will report in person to the commanding officer, 15th U. S. Infantry, upon its arrival at Savannah, Georgia, for duty with that regiment.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *B. C. Leonardi*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, and will proceed at once to Augusta, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Major *William A. Thompson*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William F. Tucker*, paymaster, U. S. Army, and Majors *Henry B. May* and *Jonas M. Cleland*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Chicago, Illinois, to Lexington, Kentucky, on official business pertaining to the payment of troops in the 1st Army Corps, and, on completion of this duty, will return to their proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. Second Lieutenant *Albert S. Johnson*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to his home and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel H. Jacobson*, Battery H, 5th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States to date November 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Neal A. McGeever*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements except for deposits shall not be furnished him.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Maurice P. Guy*, Company —, 10th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *John W. Cake*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, now supposed to be at Willets Point, New York Harbor, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant Major *Charles H. Shaffer*, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date November 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *Thomas A. Gaskins*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States to date November 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 257, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, Washington, October 31, 1898, relating to Private *William Harvey*, Battery B, 6th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Andrew J. Smith*, Company K, 18th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Camp Merriam, Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon in charge of the Division Field Hospital at that post.

58. Private *Samuel Hansbery*, Company B, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company H, 16th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company at Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

59. Corporal *Thomas F. Messett*, Company B, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Battery E, 5th U. S. Artillery, as private, and will be sent to the station of that Battery at Fort Wadsworth, New York Harbor. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

60. Private *Robert Vierboom*, Company B, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop E, 1st U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop at Fort Washakie, Wyoming. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

61. Private *James Boggs*, Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to Company M, 23d U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Presidio of San Francisco, California.

62. Private *Alfred Morris*, Company E, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is, upon his own application,

transferred to Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop at Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Finley*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the U. S. General Hospital at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Norman L. Russell*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division Hospital, 1st Army Corps, now at Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, is transferred to Company E, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, at that camp, and will be sent to report to the commanding officer of that company for duty.

65. Private *Ora Oskey*, Company G, 6th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at Red Wing, Minnesota, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 3d U. S. Infantry, and will proceed to the station of that regiment at Fort Snelling, Minnesota. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

66. Private *Ralph Renwick*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop at Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

67. By direction of the President, Captain *Frederick W. Hyde*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 15, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank B. Witel*, Battery K, 5th Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 31, 1898, by

the Adjutant General, U. S. Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Nelson W. Wilson*, U. S. Army, in addition to his duties as assistant to the surgeon at Fort Porter, New York, is assigned to duty as examiner of recruits in Buffalo, New York.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 57, Special Orders, No. 256, October 29, 1898, from this office, as relieves Major *Charles M. Gandy*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, from duty at Fort Mason, California, is revoked.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Anthony Proestler*, Company A, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence, on account of sickness, heretofore granted Captain *Hallett A. Borrowe*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is extended to include November 15, 1898, on account of sickness.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 51, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office as directs Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed to Matanzas, Cuba, and assume the duty of purchasing and depot commissary at that place, is revoked.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Subsistence Department are ordered:

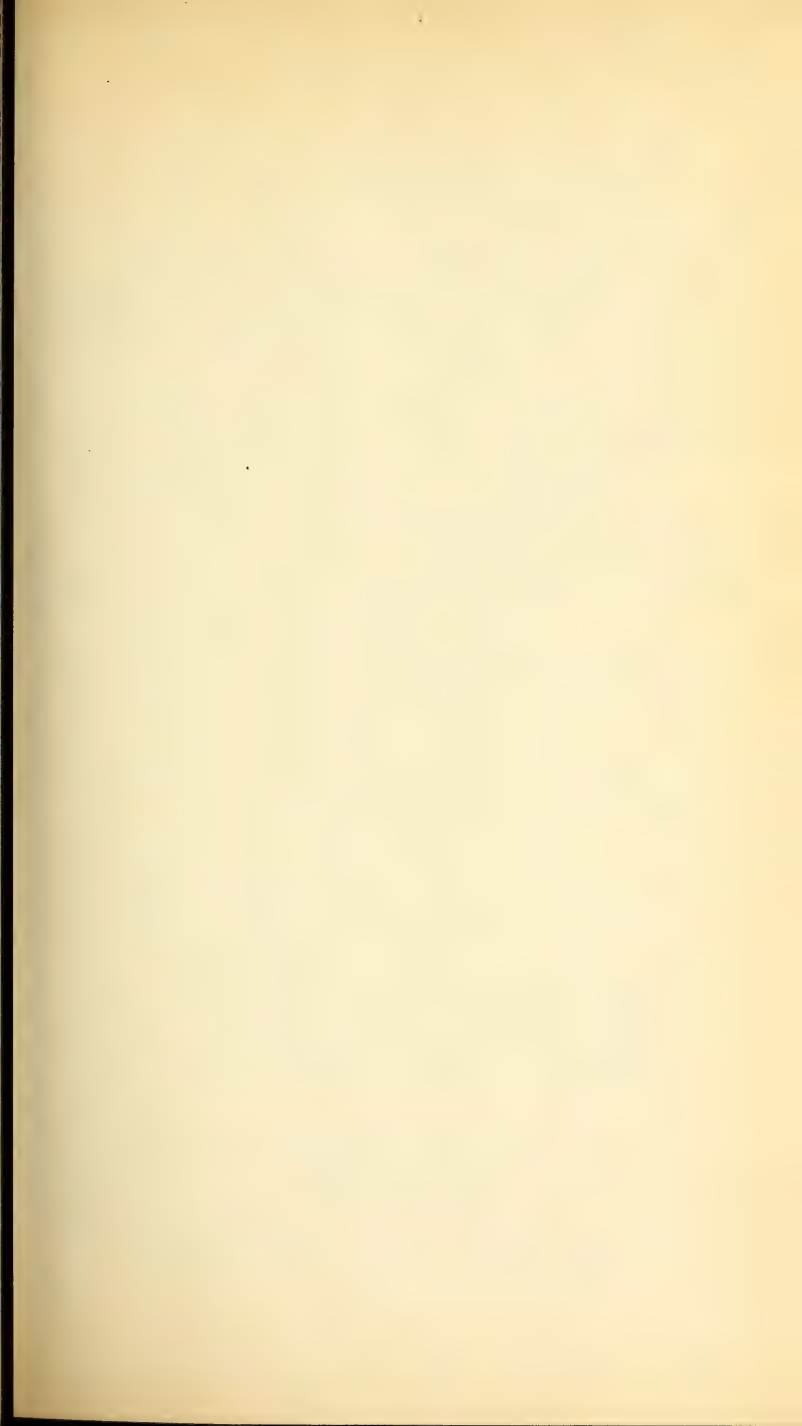
Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, Subsistence Department, now under orders for duty as Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Havana, Cuba, will report in person to the president of the board for the location of camps for the United States troops in the Island of Cuba, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, from duty with that board, and on completion of his duty with the board will return to his proper station.

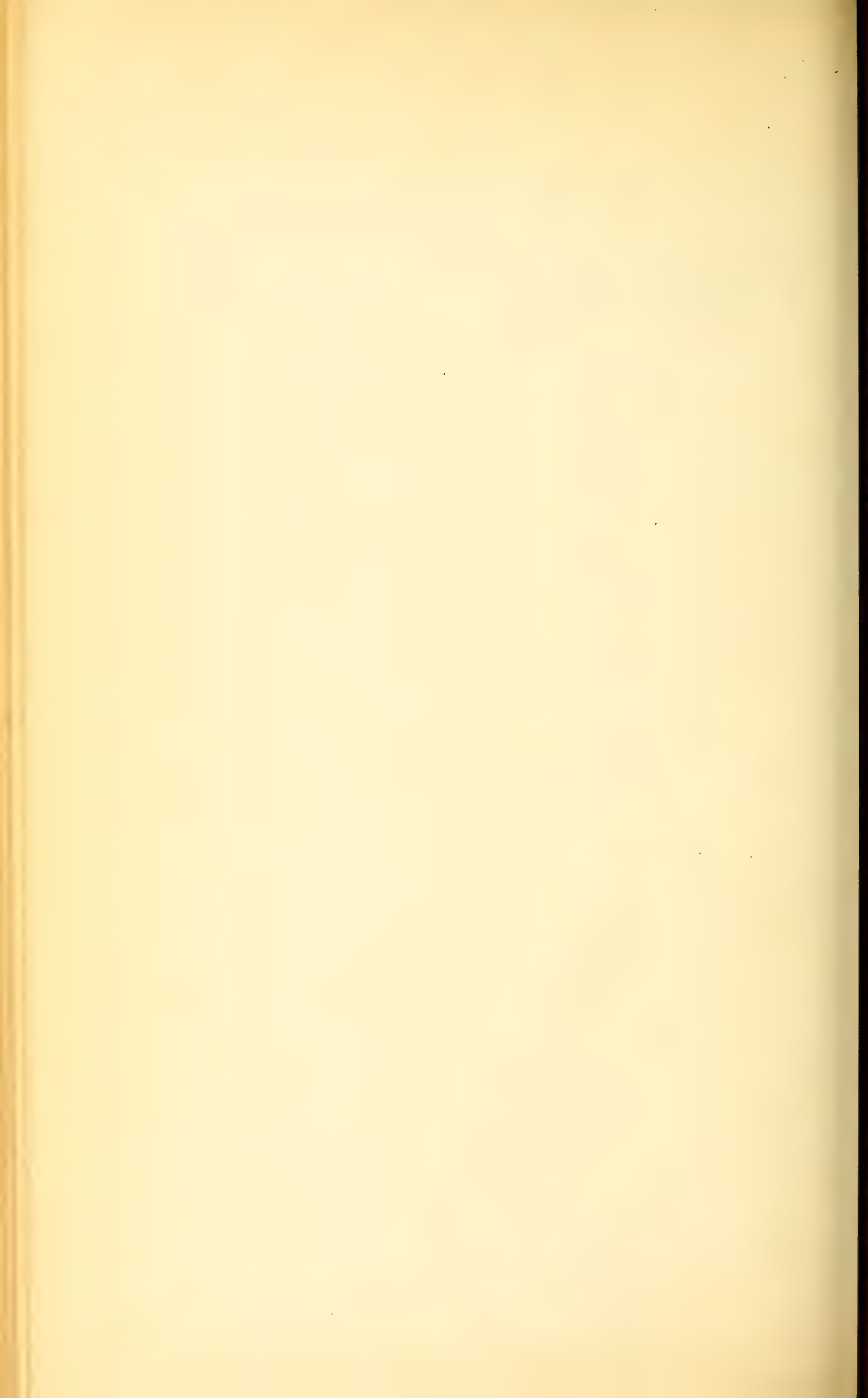
Lieutenant Colonel *Bliss*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed, with his authorized clerk, to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Chief Commissary of that corps, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *John J. Clague*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 264. } Washington, November 8, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Thomas A. Ablett, Rudolph Benzel, and Andrew Schmittauer*, Hospital Corps, are detailed as Acting Hospital Stewards and assigned to duty at their present station, Fort Myer, Virginia.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 63, Special Orders, No. 255, October 28, 1898, from this office, in the case of Private *Thomas Dune*, Battery F, 5th Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York, is amended to read Private *Thomas Dime*, Battery F, 5th Artillery.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Walter F. Abling, John C. Beaujean, Williamson Quarles, Harry Rohrkasse, J. Frank Madison, Thomas F. Rowan, Joseph Roddy, Samuel I. Stewart, William J. Struckmann, and James N. Stevens*, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *James B. Campbell, Frank P. Day, Patrick Dunphy, Hansford G. Gilkeson, Zadok B. Gamble, Frank Hauton, Joseph P. Kobs, Sam. G. Mullen, Benjamin F. Newlon, and William C. Williams*, and Acting Hospital Steward *Guy T. Grove*, Jacksonville, Florida;

Privates *Joseph R. Gardner, jr., Edward J. Reisdorf, James W. Schwartz, and Oliver C. Terry*, Fernandina, Florida;

Privates *Paul J. Breese, Herbert D. Fair, and Arthur T. Stevens*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Acting Hospital Steward *Harry Gabriel*, and Privates *Robert V. Macon* and *John Loyd Phillips*, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Frank E. Wright*, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Robert I. Fields*, Pablo Beach Hospital, Pablo Beach, Florida;

Privates *Jesse H. Coughenour* and *William H. Megee*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Privates *William H. Mitchell* and *Charles C. Carr*, Guayamo, Porto Rico;

Private *Francis S. Hausmann*, U. S. General Hospital, Santiago, Cuba;

Specter General.

Private *Thomas P. Smith*, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Max Lazarus*, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 9, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *John Wenner*, General Service, is revoked.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Wenner*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, and now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged from the service of the United States, by the commanding officer of the 7th U. S. Cavalry. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry L. Ripley*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is detailed as a member of the board of officers appointed by paragraph 27, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, to meet at Springfield Armory, Springfield, Massachusetts, November 8, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to examine into the question of a revolver most suitable for the cavalry arm of the U. S. Army, *vice* Captain *George A. Dodd*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, hereby relieved.

7. Under instructions from the President, Lieutenant Colonel *John B. McDonald*, 1st Alabama Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 3d U. S. Cavalry), is relieved by the Secretary of War from further duty at the South Carolina Military Academy, Charleston, South Carolina. Captain *McDonald*, in joining the 3d U. S. Cavalry, under the requirements of paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, will proceed *via* Charleston, South Carolina. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. The travel from Chicago, Illinois, to St. Louis, Missouri, and return, performed by Major *William H. Thrift*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, and his authorized clerk, between October 27 and November —, 1898, on official business pertaining to the payment of mustered out Missouri volunteers is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Frank D. Baldwin*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Kiowa Indian Agency, Oklahoma Territory, for the purpose of adjusting his property accounts as acting Indian agent, with the least delay practicable, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

10. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 46, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges from the Volunteer Army of the United States Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, Chief Signal Officer, Volunteer Signal Corps (1st Lieutenant, Signal Corps, U. S. Army), is revoked by the Secretary of War.

11. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *R. W. Ropiequet*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

12. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank J. Dildine*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Charles H. Jeffcoat* and *John W. Smith*, Company F, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Birmingham, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of the 20th U. S. Infantry, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldiers at the address given herein. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *William Becker*, Company B, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

First-class Private *Harry H. Foster*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Musician *Henry P. Wolf*, Company E, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *James Dorning*, Company H, 14th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wrangle, Alaska.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Lewis A. Strother*, Company E, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico, now supposed to be at Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital, to enable him to enter the Soldiers' Home, Washington, District of Columbia. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Lew Hardy* and *Milton Shields*, Hospital Corps, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at their present station, Fort Riley, Kansas.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Clark E. Boles*, *Henry Busch*, *Barker E. Kigans*, *Harry Epps*, and *Louis Cluster*, Hospital Corps, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at their present station, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Paul S. King*, Company D, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *C. O. Steele*, Company B, and *C. C. Fitzpatrick*, Company —, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Privates *R. H. Bowers*, Company A; *Robert B. Warren*, Company F, and *Walter Walling*, Company K, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Guy L. Williamson*, Company F, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Edward Goldsmith* and *Albert Goldsmith*, Company D; *A. J. Rosenthal, jr.*, Company H; *Bonney Youngblood*, Company I; *Ben T. Johnson*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James W. Brink*, Company E, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John J. Jansson*, Privates *William T. Miller* and *George A. Johnson*, Battery L, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery;

Sergeant *Thomas C. Jones*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *Robert H. Hendren*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Maurice O'Connor*, Company E. and *Frank Gastomski*, Company F, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *H. L. Golsan*, Company K, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *James Fitzpatrick*, Company I, and *W. G. Brower, jr.*, Company K, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Privates *Frank A. Findley*, Company B, and *Fred F. Roessing*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Richard H. Brown*, Company F, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William E. Chase*, Company C, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *Charles F. Norton*, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Leon F. Silpath* and Private *William E. Farner*, Company K, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Walter W. Clark*, Company F, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Christian Motz*, Private *Charles E. Williams*, Company F; Corporals *John T. Elmer* and *James R. Fortner*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *J. E. Stubblefield*, *Max Gibbs*, *R. D. Pennel*, Company F; *Lee Mitchel*, Company K, and *W. H. Barnes*, Company L, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *W. L. Gow*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Sergeant *Domenic R. Cantieny*, Company C, and Corporal *Earl V. Harper*, Company G, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Frederick T. Bulmer*, Company G, and *Sylvain B. Pronick*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Robert J. Forfar*, Company B; Private *Herbert W. Seymour*, Company C; 1st Sergeant *Robert H. Kirk*, Company G, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *W. J. Griffin*, Company F, and Private *Archibald W. Johnston*, Company G, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Herbert W. Broome*, Privates *William John Pottle* and *Daniel Bradley*, Company C, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph Raig*, Company A, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *James P. Webb*, Battery C, California Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Adolph Klein*, Company —, 8th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *A. M. Crump*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *W. G. Sturdevant*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank Lavine*, Company G, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Albert S. Love*, Company M, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Samuel Wasserman*, Company A; *A. B. Urquhart, jr.*, Company G, and *Timothy L. Light*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Jacob A. Goodman*, Company G; *Walter Judah*, Company I, and *Nathan J. Bigur*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *James E. Stokely*, Company F, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William A. Dobson*, Battery F, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Frank Taylor*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *J. L. Mosby*, *George W. Mosby*, Band; *John W. Wilfield*, *Harry V. Bates*, Company A; Corporals *Joseph Conley*, *Oscar E. Fike*, Privates *Vard V. Blevins*, *Nipher Guy*, *Hugh Richards*, *Richard H. Parker*, Company B; Corporals *William S. Loomis*, *Charles O. Cornelius*, Company C; Sergeant *C. R. Lawrence*, Privates *John W. Cook*, *Richard J. Lawrence*, Company D; Sergeants *Ira G. Hendrix*, *Phillip P. Speidel*, Privates *Arthur A. Griggs*, Company F; *Harry W. Miller*, Company G; *John M. Pickens*, *Coral M. Cruise*, Company H; *Samuel G. Froeschle*, Company I; *Frank Wolfe*, Company K; 1st Sergeant *Robert G. Cousley*, Corporal *William H. Breid*; Privates *Edward E. Glover*, *Fred O. Hamilton*, *Albert H. Hart*, *William F. Kelley*, and *Grant Hill*, Company M, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

26. Paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 257, October 31, 1898, from this office, relating to Corporal *Charles K. Osgood*, Company G, 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

27. Private *Arthur Newcomb*, Company H, 1st Maine Volunteer Infantry, now at Augusta, Maine, is upon his own application transferred to Battery B, 1st Maine Volunteer Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Savannah, Georgia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Harry F. De Jarnette*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Lawrence Van Wart*, Company F, and *Anthony Daneri*, Company D, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *James A. G. Doane*, Company D, Nevada Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Robert S. Newlon*, Company I, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles K. Gibson*, Company A, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Howard Scott*, Band, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;
Private *Harry J. Evans*, Company F, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *E. E. Reed*, Company E, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William W. Blaker*, Company G, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John S. Phelps*, Company K, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *W. H. Reed*, 6th Company; *B. A. Evans*, 12th Company; and *C. T. Altman*, 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. Private *C. E. Bradford*, Band, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Buffalo, New York, is transferred to

the 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, to date November 4, 1898, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 70, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *William J. Eustace*, Company E, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, is revoked and the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William J. Eustace*, Company E, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. Leave of absence for one month is granted Chaplain *Otis A. Glazebrook*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Horace Webster*, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 10, 1898, to enable him to accept appointment in the 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

41. Upon the recommendation of the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, the following changes in the assignments of general officers in that corps, by the President, are announced by the Secretary of War:

Brigadier General *Jacob Kline*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from his assignment to the 3d Brigade, 2d Division, and assigned to command the 1st Brigade, 2d Division, and will join his brigade at Greenville, South Carolina. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Brigadier General *Nelson Cole*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 2d Brigade, 3d Division, and assigned to command the 3d Brigade, 2d Division.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Chauncey B. Baker*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 7th Army Corps, and will take station at Savannah, Georgia, and, under the instructions of the Quartermaster General of the Army, assume charge of the duties of Purchasing, Issuing, and Shipping Quartermaster at that place.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *William E. West*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 240, October 11, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

44. By direction of the President, Captain *John C. Breckinridge*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will repair to this city upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence for the purpose of settling his accounts, and upon the completion of that duty will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Frank H. Edmunds*, Chief Ordnance Officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 128, October 12, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 42, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *John S. Schaub*, U. S. Army, is amended to read Acting Assistant Surgeon *John S. Schaul*, U. S. Army.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Lyman W. V. Kennon*, 6th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer, Columbus, Ohio, is designated as special inspector under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable Quartermaster's property as may be submitted to him by mustering officers who may be responsible therefor.

48. By direction of the President, the following named officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect on the dates set opposite their respective names, their services being no longer required:

Lieutenant Colonel *James L. Lusk*, Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), December 7, 1898;

Lieutenant Colonel *George O. Squier*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps (1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Artillery), December 7, 1898;

Major *Robert B. C. Bement*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, January 7, 1899.

Major *Bement* will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edwin A. Root*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to duty as engineer officer, Department of Porto Rico.

50. Cadet *Louis S. Hutzler*, fourth class, U. S. Military Academy, having been reported deficient in discipline and recommended by the Academic Board for discharge, is, by direction of the Secretary of War, discharged from the service of the United States.

51. The journey from Knoxville, Tennessee, to Chickamauga Park, Georgia, performed in September, 1898, by Acting Assistant Surgeon *George Dock*, late of the U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Robert W. Rodman*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed by next transport from New York City, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for duty with the U. S. Volunteer Signal Company at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. First Lieutenant *Bloomfield Usher*, Company E, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from further duty with Battery L, 6th U. S. Artillery, and will proceed to Fort Slocum, New York, for muster out with his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Weston P. Chamberlain*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, having completed the duty assigned him in paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, will return to his proper station, the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *John W. Murphy*, *John A. Perrin*, and *James E. Tice*, Company A; Corporal *Charles B. Smith*, Privates *Henry J. Griewahn* and *John E. Hunter*, Company B; *Obed J. Alvord*, Company C; Sergeant *William C. Shanafelt*, Privates *John W. Maybee* and *Roy C. Rose*, Company D; Quartermaster Sergeant *Frank G. Leadley*, Sergeant *John I. Matthews*, Corporal *Thomas S. Scott*, Privates *Frank Boulton*, *Ernest D. McMillan*, *B. C. Reynolds*, and *Frank S. Wimble*, Company E; Sergeant *Robert C. Thorburn*, Privates *James E. Ballard*, *Charles I. Merritt*, *Ambrose M. Potter*, and *Nelson E. Rogers*, Company F; *Arthur Macomber* and *Ernest C. Phillips*, Company G; Corporal *Everett J. Stoddard*, Privates *Charles H. Allen*, *Fred Chapin*, *Lewis A. Frost*, *Joseph Needham*, *Charles W. Ryan*, *Charles H. Ward*, and *Percival H. Wilson*, Company H; *Harry W. Fielding*, *Albert E. Hamilton*, and *Gordon R. O'Day*, Company I; 1st Sergeant *H. W. Busch*, Privates *Charles B. Clark*, *Frank McEvoy*, and *Charles H. Whan*, Company K; Corporal *Shirley N. Fisk*, Privates *William H. Bird*, *William H. Bradley*, and *Harry A. Young*, Company L; *Edward D. Cogswell*, *Abraham Fix*, *Lawrence G. Graessley*, and *Charles Saincrant*, Company M, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William P. Williams*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to this city for consultation with the Quartermaster General of the Army, and, on completion of this duty, will return to the transport *Chester*, New York Harbor, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *John J. Cummings* and *Linwood L. Kellam*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Alva Snyder*, Company F, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeants *Benjamin M. Byrne*, Company H, and *William H. Thomson*, Company M, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry; Private *Joseph C. Baker*, Company A, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. L. Eason*, Company D, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Fred N. Rix*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 119, September 30, 1898, Department of the Gulf, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur Jordan*, U. S. Army, having completed the duty assigned him in paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, will return to this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the President, Captain *William K. Alexander*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 7, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. The extension of leave of absence, on surgeon's certificate of disability, granted 1st Lieutenant *William E. Welsh*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

62. The leave of absence granted Captain *Horatio G. Sickel*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 254, October 27, 1898, from this office, is extended seven days.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederick Perkins*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert W. Comins*, Battery H, 4th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States to

date November 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles C. Miller*, Battery H, 4th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date November 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Charles W. Meding*, Battery F, 6th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States to date November 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the board of medical officers appointed by paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 194, August 18, 1898, from this office, will, in addition to the other duties thereby devolved upon it, give special consideration to the subject of the disposal of excreta in camps where sewers are not available, and make specific recommendations upon the subject at as early a date as practicable. The board is authorized to construct or purchase necessary apparatus for making a practical test of proposed methods of disposal of the material referred to, the bills therefor to be paid by the Quartermaster's Department.

Such additional travel, if any, as may be required under the above order is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Will T. May*, 157th Indiana Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 15th U. S. Infantry), chief mustering officer, Indianapolis, Indiana, is designated as special inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable Quartermaster's property as may be submitted to him by mustering officers who may be responsible therefor.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *George G. Morris*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Ponce, Porto Rico, and will proceed to this city, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Edward Burr*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers (Captain,

Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), will repair to this city, and report in person to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, for temporary duty in his office, when Lieutenant Colonel *George McC. Derby*, Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers (Major, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), shall have reported for duty as Chief Engineer of the 2d Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

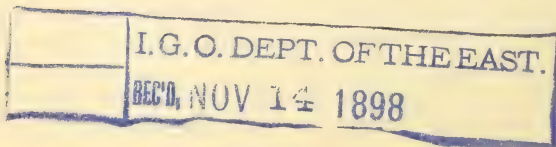
71. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Alfred A. Smith*, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, under the provisions of an act of Congress approved July 7, 1898, for increasing the efficiency of the Subsistence Department, Manila, Philippine Islands, is designated as one of the important depots to which officers of that department are assignable for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, to take effect from this date, and Lieutenant Colonel *David L. Brainard*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at that depot, and while on such duty shall have the rank of colonel.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George L. Byram*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is detailed, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved July 5, 1884, as Acting Judge Advocate of the Department of the Colorado, and will report in person to the commanding general of that department for duty accordingly.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 265. } Washington, November 9, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, relating to Sergeant *Terence M. Flood*, Company G, 10th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Terence M. Flood* (appointed November 1, 1898, from sergeant, Company G, 10th U. S. Infantry), now in this city, will be sent to Lexington, Kentucky, and will report upon arrival to the commanding officer for assignment to duty under the direction of Captain *Benjamin Johnson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, Depot Quartermaster.

The Subsistence Department will furnish commutation of rations at the prescribed rate in advance for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. Musician *N. E. Dawson, jr.*, Band, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from special duty at Headquarters of the Army, and will report to the commanding officer of his regiment without delay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Robert J. Johnson*, Troop M, 10th Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, the station of his regiment.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations at the prescribed rate in advance for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Morey*, Battery H, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Hiram F. Hills*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John C. Tayler*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort

Adj. General.

Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lawrence C. Everett*, Company D, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Doran*, Company B, 6th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Evander C. Goddard*, Company B, 6th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Chief Musician *Frederick Runkel*, 8th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Bert J. DuRuit*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Columbus, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Charles F. Sanborn*, now in this city, will be sent to Savannah, Georgia, and will upon arrival report for duty to the commanding officer of the 8th U. S. Cavalry.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations at the prescribed rate in advance for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

14. Private *Bela Morgan*, Battery C, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Warren, Massachusetts, is transferred to Battery G, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that post, and will be sent to report to the commanding officer of that battery for duty.

15. Private *George J. Platt*, Battery L, 1st Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 4th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment at Fort Sheridan, Illinois. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

16. The following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Second-class Privates *Joseph Beattley*, *Rufus F. Cook*, *Frank Dacy*, *William Haake*, *Harry E. Holfrich*, *Russell W. Kelly*, *Karl A. Kientz*, *Francis H. Knauff*, *Samuel S. Knepley*, *Edward L. Markle*, *Lester Melious*, *William D. McNaughton*, *Hugh Reed*, *Charles Sanders*, *Hayes R. Shafer*, *Hugh F. Sharkery*, *Daniel A. Snyder*, *Don P. Stroupe*, *Cliff Waltman*, and *August Zeugner*, Company B; *Joseph A. Conley*, Company C; *John C. Hume* and *Michael O'Connor*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Privates *Patrick H. Duran*, Troop F, Fort Keogh, Montana; *William B. Tompkins*, Troop L, Fort Riley, Kansas, and *Richard H. Watson*, Troop M, Fort Meade, South Dakota, 1st U. S. Cavalry;

Privates *Peter Goula*, *Daniel Peterson*, *Julius Belzner, jr.*, *William H. Boulter*, *Roy L. Hardie*, *John M. Kelly*, *Thomas McHale*, and *Milton Shatz*, Troop H, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *Edwin P. Trimble*, Troop B, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Harry P. Spencer*, Troop F, and *John T. Gruet, jr.*, Troop K, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *John Vandyke*, Troop E; *John Timbers*, *William Smith*, *Samuel J. Bergeon*, *John Beeler*, *Charles Lann*, and *Max Kutz Steele*, Troop H; *William Harper*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *John T. Callen*, *Edward Veatch*, *Edward H. Veling*, and *William Zehnder*, Battery B, Hilton Head, South Carolina; *Charles P. Bryant*, *Isaac Huey*, *William C. West*, and *William A. Markus*, Battery C, Sullivans Island, South Carolina; *James S. Calhoun*, Light Battery E, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri; *George A. Eggleston* and *William J. Morrison*, Battery H, Fort Barrancas, Florida; *Ray Tomlinson*, *Charlie A. Rodman*, *Webster J. Douglass*, and *Charles E. Porter*, Battery L, Fort Barrancas, Florida; *Bert S. Brown* and *Charlie Pittser*, Battery M, Sullivans Island, South Carolina, all of the 1st U. S. Artillery;

Private *Lewis D. Knight*, Light Battery A, 2d Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Robert L. Potee*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, Newnan, Georgia;

Corporal *Fred H. Baker*, Battery E, Fort Mason, California; Privates *George W. Bond*, Battery B, Fort Monroe, Virginia; *James M. Bull*, Battery D, San Diego Barracks, California, and *George F. Reed*, Battery I, Angel Island, California, all of the 3d U. S. Artillery;

Private *Louis Ferrari*, Band, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Privates *James C. Williams*, Battery B, and *Joe Levy*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

17. Private *Max L. Panett*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 9th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment at Madison Barracks, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Doyle*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States to date November 2, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Egelhoff*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, will be discharged the

service of the United States by the Commanding General, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Freiberg*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William D. Ingle*, Battery H, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles B. Begley*, Company —, 3d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Brooks*, Battery L, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon receipt of this order at the hospital he will report to the surgeon in charge for duty.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Eugene H. Parker*, Company C, 13th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Porter, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward J. Kingston*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Mullee*, Company K, 15th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. He will be ordered to report to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Emil Schmitz*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Mortar Battery, Winthrop, Massachusetts, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Samuel McP. Rutherford*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from recruiting duty at Evansville, Indiana, and will proceed to join his troop. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *A. M. Eaton, jr.*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 120, September 20, 1898. Second Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Maury Nichols*, 7th U. S. Infantry, will await orders in this city for the convenience of the Government.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Edward J. Olden*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Rice J. Moore*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect as of the dates set opposite their respective names:

Captain *William E. Hogue*, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, November 15, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Ulysses S. Limecooly*, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, November 20, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *John L. Little*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, November 30, 1898.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James E. Pilcher*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for duty.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *B. F. Van Meter*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and will report in person to the commanding officer, 6th U. S. Infantry, at that post, for assignment to duty.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Brigadier General *William S. Worth*, U. S. Army, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edward Abend, jr.*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph J. Connor*, Battery D, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Portland Head, Maine, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *William H. Winters* and Acting Hospital Steward *William H. Allen, jr.*, having complied with the requirements of paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 167, Headquarters 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, November 8, 1898, will return to that camp.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Majors *John Demerit* and *Herbert M. Lord*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, are relieved from further duty at Manila, and

will return to the United States and report in person in this city to the Paymaster General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles H. Whipple*, paymaster, U. S. Army, now *en route* from Manila to San Francisco, will, upon his arrival in the United States, repair to St. Paul, Minnesota, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Dakota, for duty as chief paymaster of that Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Wise, jr.*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

42. The leave of absence granted Captain *Sidney Goode*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness, in Special Orders, No. 45, October 5, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank H. Covell*, Company C, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. Private *Martin J. Maher*, Company B, 3d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at Kansas City, Missouri, is transferred to the 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Jacksonville, Florida.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frank P. Allen*, Band; Corporal *Jeff D. McClendon*, Privates *D. C. Peddy* and *C. H. Martin*, Company C; *Daniel W. Coleman*, Company G; *Howell P. Jones*, Company H; Corporal *T. L. Dismuke*, Privates *Earnest Ward*, *W. C. Funderburk*, and *Wade Goulding*, Company L, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Lewis S. Burger* and Private *William L. Thompson*, Company F, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles R. Summerson*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Richard C. Gorman*, Company B; Corporal *Beverley B. Lewis*, Company C; Private *William H. Evans*, Company E; 1st Sergeant *Joseph M. Lushbaugh*, Corporals *Mason Doome*, *Harry May*, Musician *Luther A. Gaw*, Artificer *Everette E. Coiner*, Privates *Hampton G. Baylor*, *William D. Gray*, *Leonard R. Spitler*, *John W. Spitler*, *Henry L. Snapp*, *George A. Mahoney*, *Joseph F. Gorman*, *Harry G. Smith*, *Luther McCauley*, *James E. Rawlings*, and *Lacy M. Bailey*, Company K, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frederick E. Garvin*, Band, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

50. The following named enlisted men, now at Dallas, Texas, are transferred to the 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Savannah, Georgia:

Privates *Robert Caldwell*, Company B; *E. R. Rogan*, *William Bourgeois*, *R. S. Anderson*, *R. L. Patton*, *F. Tetter*, and

Martin Leonard, Company C; *Edwin F. Bookter* and *Mack Smith*, Company E; *Aubrey P. Lawrence*, *Alvin O. Woodworth*, *Herschel T. Hailey*, *Jewett H. Calloway*, *Otto Schneider*, *Frank P. Byars*, and *Joseph D. Williams*, Company F; *John A. Purdy*, Company I, and *Francis O. Stevens*, Company M, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Joseph Kahn*, Company G, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *W. D. Moore*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert A. Campbell*, Company A, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Dale Wilson*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *William Watson*, Company K, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by

the commanding officer of his station of Private *Abraham C. Oppenheimer*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October —, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Musician *Warren H. Tinker*, Company D, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

58. Corporal *Jay Clark Bissell*, Company F, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Buffalo, New York, is transferred as a private to the 202d New York Volunteer Infantry and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Walter S. Buchanan*, Company K, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *William J. Wakeman*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Patrick H. McCaull*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as assistant to the Purchasing Commissary at New York City, New York, and will report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster in that city, for assignment to duty as Acting Assistant Quartermaster and Commissary of Subsistence on the U. S. Steamer "Port Victor," now at that place.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edgar A. Sirmeyer*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, is still further extended two months on account of sickness.

63. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Battle*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *E. S. Bastin*, *Percy C. Church*, and *C. D. Juttner*, Company A; *John S. Miller*, Company C; Corporals *J. H. Hudson*, *J. S. Doyle*, Privates *N. Kinney* and *George L. McKana*, Company G, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Charles E. Bancker*, Company D, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lee Hardin Close*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Charles B. Smith* Company B; *George E. King*, Company H; *Harry E. Andrews*, Company I; *Charles H. Duggan*, Company K, and *Edward L. McFern*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Willard L. Ellis*, Company D, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William J. Harvie*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Fred H. Marsch*, Company A, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

67. The following-named enlisted men, now at Macon, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Northern, Griffin, Georgia:

Privates *Brantley M. Pate* and *Thomas Broughton*, Band, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Andrew B. Glaspie*, Company G, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James L. Verity*, Company G, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jenkins D. Hinson*, Company D, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

69. Private *Edwin L. Johnson*, Company C, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, now on duty in the 3d Division Hospital, Panama Park, Florida, is transferred to the 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Manila, Philippine Islands.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Ossian C. Van Zandt*, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Arthur H. Walker*, 8th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Charles C. Beecher*, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 53, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army:

John Horni;

Roy A. Wilson.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Allen M. Smith*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, having relinquished the unexpired portion of his sick leave of absence, will return to his proper station, Fort Hamilton, New York.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John Little*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, now in this city, accompanied by his two authorized clerks and a Commissary Sergeant, will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and relieve Colonel *Henry G. Sharpe*, Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, of the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the subsistence depot at that place, and while on such duty shall have the rank of major. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Majors *Fred T. Jones* and *Hiram L. Grant*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, are relieved from duty in this city, and will proceed to and take station at New York City, New York, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the East, for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General of that Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. Paragraph 48, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, relieving 1st Lieutenant *Francis H. Beach*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, from Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, and directing him to proceed to join his regiment, is suspended until further orders.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles Lynch*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, having completed the duty assigned him in paragraph 73, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, will proceed to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel M. Waterhouse*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, having completed the duty assigned him in paragraph 21, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, will report in person to the commanding officer, Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, for temporary duty at that post.

78. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Colonel *C. W. Abbot, jr.*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 135, October 8, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Clarence E. Dentler*, 11th U. S. Infantry, will report in person, without delay, to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. The leave of absence granted Captain *S. O. Murphey*, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 142, September 27, 1898, Department of California, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *William L. Snedeker*, Company B; *J. H. Plunkett*, Company F; *Earl B. Hawks*, Company G, and *Eugene Watson Scott*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Reginald Schenck*, Company C; *A. E. Stacy*, Company D; *Theodore A. Goessling*, Company G, and *Reuben L. Haskell*, Company M, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Arthur W. Huggins*, Company A, 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William P. Clarke*, Company G, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Stafford P. Barton*, Company F, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

First-class Sergeant *Charles T. Fowler*, Privates *M. Leggett*, *E. H. Ensell*, *Day F. Wait*, 3d Company; Corporal *Albert B. Brooks*, 5th Company; Privates *Charles J. Bishop* and *Henry B. Smith*, 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Privates *James C. Barnes* and *Dudley B. Barnes*, Company C, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

82. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Chief Musician *Charles O. Pollard* and Principal Musician *Charles B. Griggs*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Nelson J. Johnson*, Company F, and *Charles Reeves*, Company G, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Paul R. Sieberts*, Company K, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Henrick F. Berg*, Company L, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William L. Redmond*, Company A, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Albert Frank*, Company C, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

83. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Thomas J. C. Chapman*, Company A;

Corporal *Minor Lee Moore* and Musician *Harry B. Lawson*, Company C, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Henry P. Stansbury*, Company H, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *W. J. Lightfoot* and *W. W. Lightfoot*, Company A; 1st Sergeant *J. E. Hewitt*, Privates *Burgess M. Hagan*, and *Marl W. Wallace*, Company B; and *Stonewall Bailey*, Company C, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William L. Parsons*, Company D, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Lewis O. Dings*, Company H, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,

Adjutant General.

I.G.O. DEPT. OF THE EAST.

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SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 266. } Washington, November 10, 1898.

1. Private *Charles Austin*, Company G, 25th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Fort Grant, Arizona Territory.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for six days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Joseph T. Crawford*, Company M, 1st U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *James E. Hammill*, Company A; *Guy Holcraft*, Company H, and Corporal *Kearn Ward*, Company I, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Charles O'Neill*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Privates *George A. Knight*, Company B, *Charles A. Barthrop* and Corporal *David H. Reese*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Privates *Andrew Mangeot*, Company A; *Algeron Beckel-himer*, Company E; *William A. Devena* and *Martin F. Murphy*, Company F, and *John M. Hill*, Company M, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Privates *Charles O. Dodsworth*, *Thomas Gould*, *Charles H. Harris*, and *Howard Johnson*, Company C, and *Julius R. Alexander*, Company E, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Privates *Ralph K. Shepard*, Company B; *John G. Horton*, Company C, and *Oscar J. Dunn*, Company F, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Thomas H. Harris*, Company E; *Levi F. Lessig*, Company H, and *Thomas F. Dowd*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

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Privates *Rupert L. Bishop* and *George A. Rees*, Company B, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Columbus, New York;

Private *James A. Wallace*, Company D, 15th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Henry Julian*, Company F, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Russell M. Owens* and *Oliver R. Chittenden*, Company B; *John W. McDonnell*, *John R. P. King*, *Robert F. Jackson*, *George Brinkman*, *Frank C. Morgan*, and *Charles H. McGinnis*, Company C; *William P. Kearney* and *Charlie Ackerman*, Company D; *Lester A. Hawkins*, Company F; *Conrad Velton* and *Frank S. Moninger*, Company G; *Charles W. Alexander*, *Albert H. Catley*, and *James J. Prince*, Company H; *Sankey I. Downing*, *Henry A. Goeddel*, and Sergeant *John P. Bracken*, Company I; Private *George Clifton*, Company K, Sergeant *John T. Jones*, and Private *William J. Byerly*, Company L, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Wagoner *Benjamin Rippetoe*, and Privates *Jesse Abney*, *Hugh B. Bartleson*, *John S. Frayer*, *William O. L. Gordon*, *Lewis E. Roach*, *Albert Schiff*, *David W. Tarr*, and *George E. Wallace*, Company A; *James W. Burton*, *James R. Fess*, *George N. Lowe*, and *Daniel Sullivan*, Company B; *Robert B. Campbell*, *Robert Munro*, and *Rufus H. Thorp*, Company C; *Earl G. Anderson*, *Willie E. Boren*, *James Brown*, *Ennis R. Brown*, *Paul Langer*, *John W. Lewis*, *Joseph Ewens*, *George Fischer*, and *Ralph Richmond*, Company D; *Samuel F. Caverder*, *John Fletcher*, *Albert Link*, *John Marshall*, *Alex. A. Sanders*, *Bartel Schlitzbaum*, *Charles W. Taylor*, and *Oscar Vance*, Company E; *Joseph F. Archer* and *Rabie Lott*, Company F; *Marshall Crockett* and *Henry Winter*, Company G; *George Renard*, Company H; Corporal *William K. Blachly*, and Privates *Joseph H. Bain*, *Patrick W. Cullen*, *Fred E. Koger*, *Albert Lewis*, *Thomas A. Loveall*, and *Frank L. Rieckenberg*, Company I; *Malvin Knudson*, Company K; Corporal *Frank J. Butler* and Privates *Albert Fisher*, *Thomas Kinsella*, Company L; *Mike Behan*, and *Emil Blatter*, Company M, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *Winfield G. Moyer*, Company A, and *Frank O. Fournia*, Company H, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York;

Private *James C. Clark*, Company A, 22d U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their commanding officers:

Privates *Ira B. Miles*, *William J. McGrath*, *William P. Taylor*, *Francis X. Roney*, *Frank J. Stein*, and *George F. Goatzman*, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Fred C. Rowell*, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *George Simcoe*, Camp Bushnell, Columbus, Ohio;

Private *Andrew A. Matthews*, Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia;

Private *William H. Replogle*, Guayama, Porto Rico;

Private *Theodore E. Schwarz*, Fernandina, Florida;

Private *John Feigenbaum*, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Arthur Eisbein*, Fort Hamilton, New York;

Acting Hospital Steward *Ira S. Wile*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Privates *Morrison C. Stayer*, *Thomas M. Sherlock*, *Thomas E. Lloyd*, *Earl R. Stanard*, and Acting Hospital Steward *Robert A. Gordon*, Lexington, Kentucky;

Privates *Charles J. Fisher* and *Bert W. Caldwell*, Jacksonville, Florida;

Private *Charles F. Young*, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Albert W. Heintz*, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Acting Hospital Steward *David W. Greves*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William G. Hicks*, Division Field Hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, California.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

4. Private *John Emmet*, Company F, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 5th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that regiment at Fort Wadsworth, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Woodruff*, Company K, 18th U. S. Infantry, now at Camp Otis, near Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at Camp Otis the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick Schroeder*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Mortar Battery, Winthrop, Massachusetts, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Harry C. Owings*, Company G, 11th U. S. Infantry, and Private *G. W. Merchant*, Company K, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now in the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon their arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer Josiah Simpson General Hospital will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive lists and accounts of pay and clothing of the soldiers prior to their departure from that post. Unless these soldiers are proper subjects for discharge for disability or change of climate the commanding officer of the hospital will on conclusion of treatment send them to their proper stations as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Ricko*, Battery B, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged as "unsuited" to the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Privates *Charlton E. Yocum* and *Lyman S. Ferris*, Signal Corps, United States Army, now at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, are transferred to the United States Volunteer Signal Corps as 1st class privates, and will report to the commanding officer 6th Signal Corps Company at Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, for duty.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Paul L. Stangle*, Hospital Corps, now at Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at his present station.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Warren J. Harris*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is transferred as 2d Class Private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army, and will report to the commanding officer of his post for temporary duty.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Carter*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Columbus, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at his present station.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George J. Conlan*, Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, now supposed to be at his home, 151 West 51st street, New York, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John E. Lauer*, General Service, now supposed to be at the Recruiting Station U. S. Army, 1316 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the recruiting officer at that station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles J. Beyron*, Hospital Corps, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at his present station, 1st Division Field Hospital, Coamo, Porto Rico.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person without delay to Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations, or, if on leave of absence, to the place of receipt by them of this order:

Captain *George F. Chase*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *George W. Cole*, 7th U. S. Cavalry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 7th Cavalry, subject to examination);

Second Lieutenant *Walter C. Short*, 6th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *George C. Barnhardt*, 6th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *James H. Reeves*, 6th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Kirby Walker*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Claude B. Sweezey*, 8th U. S. Cavalry.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Arthur M. Kessler*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Darius S. Scrum*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *Ammi Brown*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Samuel Dehougue* and *Joseph Studler*, Battery I, 3d U. S. Artillery, Angel Island, California;

Private *Joe Danzis*, Light Battery F, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Severson*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, 426 Harrison avenue, Kankakee, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, Ponce, Porto Rico, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ralph R. Anderson*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, Grand Rapids, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private

Sydney W. Young, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, will be discharged the service of the United States by his commanding officer. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles L. Watkins*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home in Jersey City, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

22. Private *William Hart*, Troop L, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is upon his own application transferred to the 4th U. S. Infantry at that post and will be ordered to report to the commanding officer 4th U. S. Infantry for assignment to a company.

23. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Joseph B. Batchelor, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eugene O. Fecht*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from this city to Governors Island, New York City, and carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, and upon the completion of that duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for three months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Post Chaplain *David H. Shields*, U. S. Army.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Albert S. Towar*, paymaster, U. S. Army.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, First Lieutenant *Ervin L. Phillips*, 3d U. S. Cavalry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 6th Cavalry, subject to examination), will report in person to Colonel *William H. Powell*, 9th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Madison Barracks, New York, by Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion,

and upon the conclusion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel D. Rockenbach*, 10th U. S. Cavalry (promoted from 2d Lieutenant, 10th U. S. Cavalry, subject to examination), will report in person without delay to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the President, Major *Royce D. Fry*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *August Pfersich*, Battery H, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Trumbull, Connecticut;

Private *John B. McIlvain*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *John C. Moss*, Company C, 2d U. S. Infantry, Aniston, Alabama;

Corporal *Harry Geeting*, Company B, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Lewis R. Taft*, Private *John Korte*, Company C; Sergeant *Isaac Green* and Private *Robert Stuart*, Company G, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *James H. Johnson*, Company H, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *Edward Krieger*, Company D, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *David Hill*, Company G, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

31. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *D. U. O'Brien*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 122, September 24, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *Charles S. Jordan*, assistant surgeon, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

Captain *Augustus M. Kirby*, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 15, 1898;

First Lieutenant *George E. Day*, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, to take effect December 1, 1898.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James J. Meyler*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at San Francisco, California, under the immediate orders of Major *Charles E. L. B. Davis*, Corps of Engineers, and will relieve that officer of such river, harbor, and fortification works as may be designated by the Chief of Engineers, taking station at Los Angeles, California. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Claude B. Sweezey*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as aide on the staff of Brigadier General *Richard Comba*, U. S. Volunteers, and, upon the completion of his examination for promotion, will proceed at once to Savannah, Georgia, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Moses R. Doyon*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty at Atlanta, Georgia, and will proceed to and take station in New York City, New York, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the East, for duty, and by letter to the commanding general of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant

Milton L. McGrew, 11th U. S. Infantry, will await orders at Passaic, New Jersey, for the convenience of the Government.

37. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted Captain *James A. Goodin*, 7th U. S. Infantry.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles J. Symmonds*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, will report in person to Brigadier General *Louis H. Carpenter*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster of the 2d Brigade, 3d Division, 2d Army Corps.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, are transferred as 1st class privates to the 6th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, and will report to Lieutenant Colonel *E. B. Ives*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that station, for duty:

Corporal *W. B. Lenter*, Company F; Sergeants *Richard Newton* and *Edwin R. Upham*, Company L, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William R. Young*, Company —, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Charles B. Craig*, Company A, and *J. McDermott*, Company F, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *R. J. McElhaney*, Company D; *Myron L. Bartholamew* and *C. F. Salm*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Camp Forse, Huntsville, Alabama, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps and will report to Captain *Ambrose Higgins*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that station, for duty:

Corporal *Henry C. Smith*, Privates *Jess P. Larimer*, and *Thomas Jackson*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Knoxville, Tennessee, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps and will report to Lieutenant *A. G. Thompson*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that station, for duty:

Private *Percy P. Dagg*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter B. Mann*, Company G, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. C. Shanklin*, Company G, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Floyd A. Gill*, Company G, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

42. The following-named enlisted men, now at San Antonio, Texas, are transferred to the Band of the 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Fort Clark, Texas:

Privates *E. M. Smith*, *George F. McClanahan*, *Joseph Fredman*, and *Fred Euchner*, Band, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Hospital Steward *Clemens W. McMillan*, Quartermaster Sergeant *Samuel A. McIlhenny*, Principal Musician *George Dedroit*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Claud H. Deitrick*, Band; Corporals *William V. R. Watson, jr.*, *James L. Ridgeway*, Privates *Frederick E. Wagner*, *Robert W. Porter*, Company A; Corporal *Robert M. Nettles*, Artificer *Carl W. Marine*, Privates *Frederick L. Merrill*, *Samuel A. Walden*, Company B; Corporals *Thomas W. Browne*, *Peter G. Lyons*, *John H. Traynham*, Privates *Sam Wigowsky*, *George V. Turck*, *Charles F. Seely*, *Charles H. McAughan*, *William H. Monaghan*, *George H. Lowe*, Company C; 1st Sergeant *Robert T. Stagner*, Sergeant *George V. French*, Corporal *D. Morey Beach*, Privates *Horace B. White*, *Henry E. Smith*, *Vincent G. Robinson*, *Robert M. Middlebrook*, *George F. Hindman*, Company D; Sergeant *William J. Hull*, Privates *Albert J. Hunt*, *George A. Bezanson*, Company E; Sergeants *Harry M. Wurzbach*, *Joseph C. Rice*, Corporals *William J. Reynolds*, *James C. Nelson*, Privates *Thomas E. Trainer*, *John H. Thompson*, *Henry B. Potts*, *Willard W. Harris*, *Edward Hickman*, *Thomas C. Farrow*, Company F; Sergeant *Austin V. Smith*, Privates *Albert L. Thompson*, *Paul Steffler*, *Henry J. Schneider*, *Oliver P. Reid*, *Robert W. Lawson*, *Henry F. Geyer*, *Jesse Bigluy*, *Fred L. Bleissner*, *James Applewhite*, Company G; Corporal *William Zachary*, Privates

Arthur McMillan, Otto Grundman, H. G. Garland, Company H; Edward R. Nixon, Charles G. Graham, Reuben D. Gafford, Company I; Wagoner Abner Ricketson, Privates Walter C. McLanahan, Warren W. Morgan, Adam R. Johnson, jr., Company K; Corporal Harry Haas, Privates Charles E. Tobin, John E. Mackin, John C. Lemberg, Robert Davis, Bryan Daugherty, Theodore Davis, Jack Allison, Company L; Sergeant Wade H. Lipscomb, Corporal James M. Coursey, Privates Arley Carlton, John W. Suitor, William T. Stockton, James J. Sanderson, Jack Latta, John D. Goodard, Henry Gredo, John H. Daugherty, and Joseph E. Boardman, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Alvin Barton*, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding officer of his regiment for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. Under instructions from the President, the Secretary of War revokes paragraph 88, Special Orders, No. 255, October 28, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *Frank O. Ferris*, 1st U. S. Infantry.

46. By direction of the President, Captain *Jefferson Wilcox*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of resignation, to take effect this date.

47. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *William S. Whitehead, jr.*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry P. During*, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Greble, Rhode Island, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

49. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Herbert S. Foster*, 20th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 233, October 3, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Frank J. Hecker*, Quartermaster's Department, accompanied by Mr. *H. G. Barrington*, stenographer, and Mr. *W. M. Pannell*, messenger, will proceed from this city to Havana, Cuba, on official business, under special instructions from the War Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 82, Special Orders. No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *Frank O. Ferris*, 1st U. S. Infantry, to report for examination for promotion before the board at Huntsville, Alabama, is revoked.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frank O. Ferris*, 1st U. S. Infantry, will report in person without delay to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Thomas B. Haughawout*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Samuel G. Jones, jr.*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 235, October 15, 1898, from this office, is still further extended two months on account of sickness.

55. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Captain *Arthur Thompson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

56. Leave of absence for two months, to take effect October 8, 1898, on surgeon's certificate of disability, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Albert J. Bowley*, 4th U. S. Artillery.

57. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James W. McAndrew*, Quartermaster, 3d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 93, September 17, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Guy H. B. Smith*, 4th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 223, September 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John T. Haines*, Quartermaster, 5th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month and fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

60. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Jonas A. Emery*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

61. Second Lieutenant *William W. Hamilton*, 6th U. S. Artillery, is assigned to Battery L of that regiment. He is relieved from further duty with Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, and will proceed to join his battery. The travel engaged is necessary for the public service.

62. The journey from New York City, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, about September 26, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Juan J. Casanova*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert P. P. Wainwright*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is designated as special inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable Quartermaster's property as may be submitted to him by mustering officers who may be responsible therefor.

64. The travel from Fernandina, Florida, to Washington, District of Columbia, and thence to Jacksonville, Florida, about October 12 to 17, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Vernon MacCammon*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

65. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability, granted 2d Lieutenant *Winfield S. Overton*, 3d Artil-

lery, in Special Orders, No. 60, September 26, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. P. Abbott*, U. S. Army, will report in person to 1st Lieutenant *Herbert N. Royden*, 23d U. S. Infantry, for duty pertaining to the care of sick and convalescent soldiers in the hospitals at Providence, Rhode Island, and vicinity.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Reuben B. Turner*, 6th U. S. Infantry, will proceed from Fort Thomas, Kentucky, to Spokane, Washington, and assume charge under the direction of the Quartermaster General of the Army of the construction of public buildings at that place, to relieve Major *William H. Miller*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties. Major *Miller*, on being thus relieved, will proceed, without delay, to this city, and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army, for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Charles F. Humphrey*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once from this city to Port Tampa, Florida, and take the Plant Company's steamer sailing from that place on Monday, November 14, 1898, to Havana, Cuba, and on arrival will report in person to Major General *James F. Wade*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty as Chief Quartermaster, under his direction, with station at Havana. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, will detail an officer to relieve Captain *Frederick W. Cole*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of his duties with that corps. Captain *Cole* will proceed at once to Tampa, Florida, and take the Plant Steamship Company's steamer sailing from that port on Monday, November 14, 1898, to Havana, Cuba, where upon arrival he will report to Colonel *Frank J. Hecker*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, for temporary duty under his direction, and on completion thereof will report to the Depot Quartermaster at Havana, Cuba, for duty under his direction. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Herbert S. Whipple*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer at Lexington, Kentucky, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

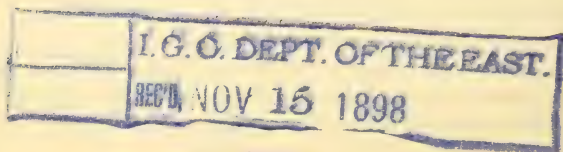
71. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 75, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, appointing a board of officers to meet at Fort Logan, Colorado, for the examination of officers to determine their fitness for promotion, is amended so as to direct that the board meet at Denver, Colorado.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Aaron S. Daggett*, U. S. Volunteers (Lieutenant Colonel, 25th U. S. Infantry), and Major *Francis Moore*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, are detailed as members of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Logan, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, as amended by Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *Mott Hooton*, 25th U. S. Infantry (recently promoted Lieutenant Colonel, 5th U. S. Infantry), and Major *Alfred C. Markley*, 24th U. S. Infantry, who are hereby relieved.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick D. Nephew*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at his home, 419 K street northwest, Washington, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Adjutant General, U. S. Army. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 267. } Washington, November 11, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wm. A. Brady*, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Greble, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Freeman Field*, Company G, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Sidney C. Schwarzkopf*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be in Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, Cuba.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Walsh*, Battery A, 6th U. S. Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Clarence R. O'Crowley*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel Rieber*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Rauworth*, Company B, 10th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama, now supposed to be at his home, 902 Wal-

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nut street, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *August Dommer*, Troop E, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Edwin Newman*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas P. Foley*, Company D, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Will G. Butler*, Hospital Corps, Fort Wayne, Michigan, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at his present station.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles R. Costlow*, Company E, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 180, August 2, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Mathew O'Brien*, Company H, 19th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John C. Twiss*, Hospital Corps, now at Jackson Barracks, Louisiana, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at his present station.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Guy O. Smith*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington

Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert Brooks*, Company D, and Recruit *Fred Jackson* (attached to Company D), 24th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Douglas, Utah, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldier are not entitled to travel-pay.

17. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *Ferdinand J. Schrader*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 142, 7th Army Corps, is further extended ten days on account of sickness.

18. Ordinary leave of absence for fourteen days is granted 1st Lieutenant *N. H. Hale*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in extension of the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted him in Special Orders, No. 38, October 30, 1898, 1st Army Corps.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Jacob C. Johnson*, 4th U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, and will proceed to Springfield, Illinois, and establish a recruiting station in that city. He is appointed an Acting Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William T. Schenck*, 10th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from recruiting duty at Boston, Massachusetts, to take effect January 1, 1899, when he will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *Frank B. McKenna*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 32, October 10, 1898, headquarters U. S. forces in Porto Rico, is extended one month.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted Major *Edward S. Fowler*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles C. Ballou*, 12th U. S. Infantry, will, when mustered out as Major, 7th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and join the 12th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the President, paragraph 34, Special Orders, No. 245, October 17, 1898, from this office, which honorably discharges from the volunteer army of the United States Captain *Harvey C. Carbaugh*, Assistant Adjutant General (1st Lieutenant, 5th U. S. Artillery), to take effect November 30, 1898, and extends his leave of absence to that date, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 264, November 8, 1898, from this office, relating to 2d Lieutenant *Robert W. Rodman*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is revoked.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William T. Davenport*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed by next transport from New York City, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general, U. S. troops, for duty with the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps company at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John J. Archinard*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in the Department of Santiago and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *James F. Wade*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, the board of officers appointed by paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, and paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, of which Colonel *James G. C. Lee*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, is president, is dissolved.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James G. C. Lee*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, now in this city, will proceed to New York City on official busi-

ness pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, and upon the completion thereof will proceed to Chicago, Illinois, and resume his duties as Chief Quartermaster, Department of the Lakes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Evylyn S. Garnett*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will report in person to Colonel *Frank E. Nye*, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty as his assistant. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Majors *Henry B. May* and *Jonas M. Cleland*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, now on temporary duty at Lexington, Kentucky, will on completion of that duty proceed to and take station at New York City, New York, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Department of the East, for duty and by letter to the commanding general of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Principal Musician *Richard C. Abel*, Privates *Ernest A. Ittner*, *Jesse P. Edwards*, Band; *Porter J. Hand*, *Israel G. Rickards*, Company A; Quartermaster Sergeant *Herbert E. Covell*, Sergeant *Henry B. Corliss*, Wagoner *James H. Palmer*, Privates *John M. Line*, Company B; *Len Sledge*, Company C; Sergeant *Walter D. Reynolds*, Company D; 1st Sergeant *Walter F. Elliott*, Quartermaster Sergeant *Albert E. Barry*, Company I, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Noncommissioned Staff—Quartermaster Sergeant *James A. Brady* and Principal Musician *Peter W. Neely*;

Company A—Sergeant *Bernard R. LeRoy*, Corporal *Frank L. Stratthan*, 1st Class Privates *Jesse Alkire*, *Patrick S. Hinchey*, *Wallace Motter*, *Frank W. Neill*, *Elijah P. Orr*, *John B. Pulver*, *Jonas Stuck*; 2d Class Privates *Edward J. Burke*, *Warren R. Cusick*, *Patrick Hayes*, *James J. Kenny*, *Clarence A. Lewis*, and *Henry F. Miller*;

Company B—Sergeant *Albert W. Cresap*, Corporal *John H. Hanning*, Musician *Ernest E. James*, 1st Class Privates *William Brockman*, *Harry B. Chatten*, *Acan C. Faggan*, *Benjamin F. Howe*, *Miles E. Plymale*, *Scott Pipes*, *Charles B. Schaefer*, *William H. Varner*, *Jacob Smith*, *William J. Manning*, 2d Class Privates *Charles T. Arbaugh*, *Patrick Curtin*, *Anthony Corry*, *Frederick Hoffert*, *Mitchell P. Meyers*, *Louis G. Reinhold*, and *Frederick J. Smith*;

Company D—Sergeant *George H. Clark*, 1st Class Privates *August H. Meier*, *Albert B. Thornton*, and *William W. Veach*, 2d Class Privates *Charles H. Brothers* and *Harry A. Starr*;

Company E—Sergeants *Frederick C. Richmond* and *Leo Solomon*, 1st Class Privates *John Allen*, *Duncan M. Ayres*, *John Brainard*, *George L. Chase*, *Christen O. Christensen*, *August G. Edmund*, *Alvin C. Hayhurst*, *William H. Lang*, and *Charles G. Rush*, 2d Class Privates *Herman Anderson*, *Willis D. Fulford*, *Harvey E. Martin*, *Robert Wilkinson*, and *Albert L. Hedemark*.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay, but will be furnished transportation to place of enlistment.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Company C—Corporal *Charles Regan*, 1st Class Privates *Philip Apking*, *Frederick L. Huston*, *John Hughes*, *Charles N. Oaks*, *Charles S. Pfeffer*, *Edward F. Staples*, *William A. Snedden*, *Peter A. Wickerham*, *Thomas Elliott*, *John Pries*, 2d Class Privates *John Madigan*, *William F. Meehan*, *Robert Rhodes*, *Jesse G. Roseboom*, *Frederick Satzinger*, *Harry W. Simcoe*, and *Thomas A. Tobens*;

Company H—Sergeant *Charles L. Yancy*, 1st Class Privates *Delmer DeWitt*, *James P. Jackson*, *Manne Mandelson*, *Will-*

iam T. Scott, George E. Watson, James S. Stagg, 2d Class Privates Peter F. Callahan, Toliver Kay, August F. Miller, Edgar W. Musgrave, William P. McCarty, Harry L. McGriff, John F. Phillips, Frederick W. Rollo, James C. Snider, Gold O. Williams, and George F. Buck.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel pay, but will be furnished transportation to place of enlistment.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Company F—Musician *Leon M. Cole*, 1st Class Privates *Waite F. Allison, Sidney E. Ballam, Morgan H. Bell, Michael Garvin, George Heinz, Julius Jansen, William H. Martin, Walter H. Richardson, Oscar W. Staff, Alexander C. Smith, William Smith*, 2d Class Privates *William J. Brown, Andrew Doherty, Oscar A. Draper, George Jennings, Joseph D. Longhagen, Edwin H. Mandler, Paul B. Muntwyler, Oscar Olsen, James S. O'Neil, Axel Quiding, and Frank O. Swanson*;

Company G—Sergeants *Douglas H. Tandy, Azro C. Gilman*, Musician *Ivar Ingebretsen*, 1st Class Privates *Charles Beck, Herbert Dahlgren, Adolph Dreher, Albert F. Fleming, John P. Hasson, William Haggerty, Harry C. Johnson, Jacob H. Marshall, Otto Peterson, William Ross, James E. Sullivan*; 2d Class Privates *James H. Boyd, jr., Melvin Chrisjohn, Gerald Doyle, Eric Kentz, and Burton P. Wiggins*.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel pay but will be furnished transportation to place of enlistment.

36. The journey from Ponce, Porto Rico, to Washington, District of Columbia, *via* New York City, New York, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *John S. Donaldson*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

37 By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Arkansas, and will proceed to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and there join his regiment not later than December 1, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *R. B. Westnedge*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Dubuque, Iowa, to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. Captain *Daniel H. Boughton*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, having completed the duties assigned him in paragraph 50, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, will proceed from Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, to Augusta, Georgia, and join his troop. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Joseph R. McAndrews*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, will proceed from Savannah, Georgia, to Huntsville, Alabama, and join the battalion there for duty as Battalion Adjutant. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 17, Special Orders, No. 263, November 7, 1898, from this office, is so amended as to direct Major *Lewis Balch*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed to Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as chief surgeon, 2d Brigade, 2d Division, of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. The journey from Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Long Island, to Madison Barracks, New York, performed by 1st Lieutenant *Louis B. Lawton*, 9th U. S. Infantry, under the requirements of paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 89, September 13, 1898, from Headquarters, 5th Army Corps, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for fourteen days is granted 2d Lieutenant *J. K. Dixon*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 25, Special Orders, No. 263, November 7, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *Frederick H. E. Ebstein*, 21st U. S. Infantry, to report for examination for promotion before the board at Madison Barracks, New York, is revoked.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick H. E. Ebstein*, 21st U. S. Infantry, will report in person, without delay, to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, are ordered:

Captain *Francis R. Shunk* is relieved from duty at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, to take effect immediately upon the completion of the semi annual examination in engineering in January, 1899, and will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Pacific and the 8th Army Corps, for duty with Company A, Battalion of Engineers;

Captain *Henry Jervey* is relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Major *James B. Quinn*, Corps of Engineers, and will proceed to and take station at New Orleans, Louisiana, and relieve Major *Joseph H. Willard* of the charge of the 4th District, Mississippi River Improvement, reporting by letter to the President of the Mississippi River Commission;

Captain *E. Eveleth Winslow* is relieved from duty with Company E, Battalion of Engineers, and at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, to take effect from the date of the arrival at that post of Lieutenant Colonel *George W. Goethals*, Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, (Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), and will proceed to and take station at Memphis, Tennessee, and relieve Captain *Mason M. Patrick* of the charge of the 1st and 2d Districts, Mississippi River Improvement, reporting by letter to the President of the Mississippi River Commission;

Captain *Patrick*, upon being relieved by Captain *Winslow*, will take station at St. Louis, Missouri, and assume the duties of secretary and disbursing officer of the Mississippi River Commission, reporting to the president of the commission;

First Lieutenant *James P. Jervey* is relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Major *Clement A. F. Flagler*, U. S. Volunteer Engineers (Captain, Corps of Engineers,

U. S. Army), to take effect December 20, 1898, and will proceed to and take station at West Point, New York, reporting not later than January 4, 1899, to the Superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy, for duty in the Department of Civil and Military Engineering;

First Lieutenant *Harry Burgess* is relieved from his present duties at Galveston, Texas, to take effect December 1, 1898, and will repair to West Point, New York, and report in person to the Superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy, for duty with Company E, Battalion of Engineers;

Second Lieutenant *Frederick W. Altstaetter* is relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Lieutenant Colonel *Charles W. Raymond* and will proceed to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School;

Second Lieutenant *Harley B. Ferguson* is relieved from duty with Company E, Battalion of Engineers, at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, to take effect upon the arrival there of 1st Lieutenant *Harry Burgess*, and will proceed to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School;

Second Lieutenant *Clarke S. Smith* is relieved from duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School, Willets Point, New York, and will proceed to and take station at New Orleans, Louisiana, and report in person to Major *James B. Quinn* for duty under his immediate orders;

Second Lieutenant *Amos A. Fries* is relieved from duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School, Willets Point, New York, and will proceed to and take station at Portland, Oregon, and report in person to Major *Walter L. Fisk* for duty under his immediate orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Marlborough C. Wyeth*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 2d Army Corps and from further duty as attending surgeon and examiner of recruits at Baltimore, Maryland, and as soon as the medical supply depot at Camp

Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, shall have been closed, will proceed to this city and report in person to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, by paragraph 27, Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and on the completion thereof will proceed to Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Elmore F. Taggart*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once from Fort Thomas, Kentucky, to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Samuel C. Vestal*, 7th U. S. Artillery, will proceed to Hartford, Connecticut, and report in person to Captain *Walter Howe*, 4th U. S. Artillery, chief mustering officer at that place, for temporary duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and Acting Ordnance Officer, during the illness of 1st Lieutenant *William M. Crofton*, 1st U. S. Infantry. Upon completion of this duty Lieutenant *Vestal* will report in person to the chief mustering officer for the State of Rhode Island. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from duty as aids to Major General *William Montrose Graham*, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *William W. Galbraith*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Charles P. Summerall*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *James M. Graham*, 11th U. S. Infantry;

Lieutenant *Galbraith* will proceed to join his battery upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, and Lieutenants *Summerall* and *Graham* will proceed to join their commands December 10, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted Captain *Henry L. Jenkinson*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Subsistence Department are ordered:

Lieutenant Colonel *John J. Clague*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, upon being relieved of his duties as Chief Commissary, 1st Army Corps, by Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Cincinnati, Ohio, and relieve Captain *Thomas H. Simms*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, of his duties as Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place.

Captain *Simms*, upon being thus relieved, is assigned to duty as an assistant in the office of the Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Cincinnati, Ohio. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank H. Lawton*, 21st U. S. Infantry.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John A. Metzgar*, U. S. Army, having reported in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, in compliance with instructions, will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for thirty days is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Rupert Norton*, U. S. Army.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Rupert Norton*, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his leave of absence, will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Tracy C. Dickson*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Springfield Armory, Springfield, Massachusetts, to the works of the T. and B. Tool Company, Danbury, Con-

necticut, on official business pertaining to machinery for the manufacture of small arms, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the President, Major *Francis T. Metcalfe*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 11, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Ira A. Haynes*, Quartermaster, 4th U. S. Artillery, will perform the duties of Acting Assistant Quartermaster at the U. S. General Hospital at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, in addition to his other duties.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon, *E. A. Southall*, U. S. Army.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *William W. Gordon*, U. S. Volunteers, on the expiration of his present leave of absence, will proceed from this city to his home at Savannah, Georgia, and there await orders for his own convenience. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. The extension of leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *William H. McLaughlin*, 16th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 224, September 22, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

63. The following transfers are made in the 5th U. S. Cavalry, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Richmond McA. Schofield* from Troop I to Troop D;

First Lieutenant *Melvin W. Rowell* from Troop D to Troop I.

64. Leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *John E. Boyer*, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

65. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Major *F. D. Bain*, surgeon, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special

Orders, No. 245, paragraph 55, October 17, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles W. Frear*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

67. Leave of absence for ten days from November 1, 1898, is granted Captain *H. L. Partridge*, 8th California Volunteer Infantry.

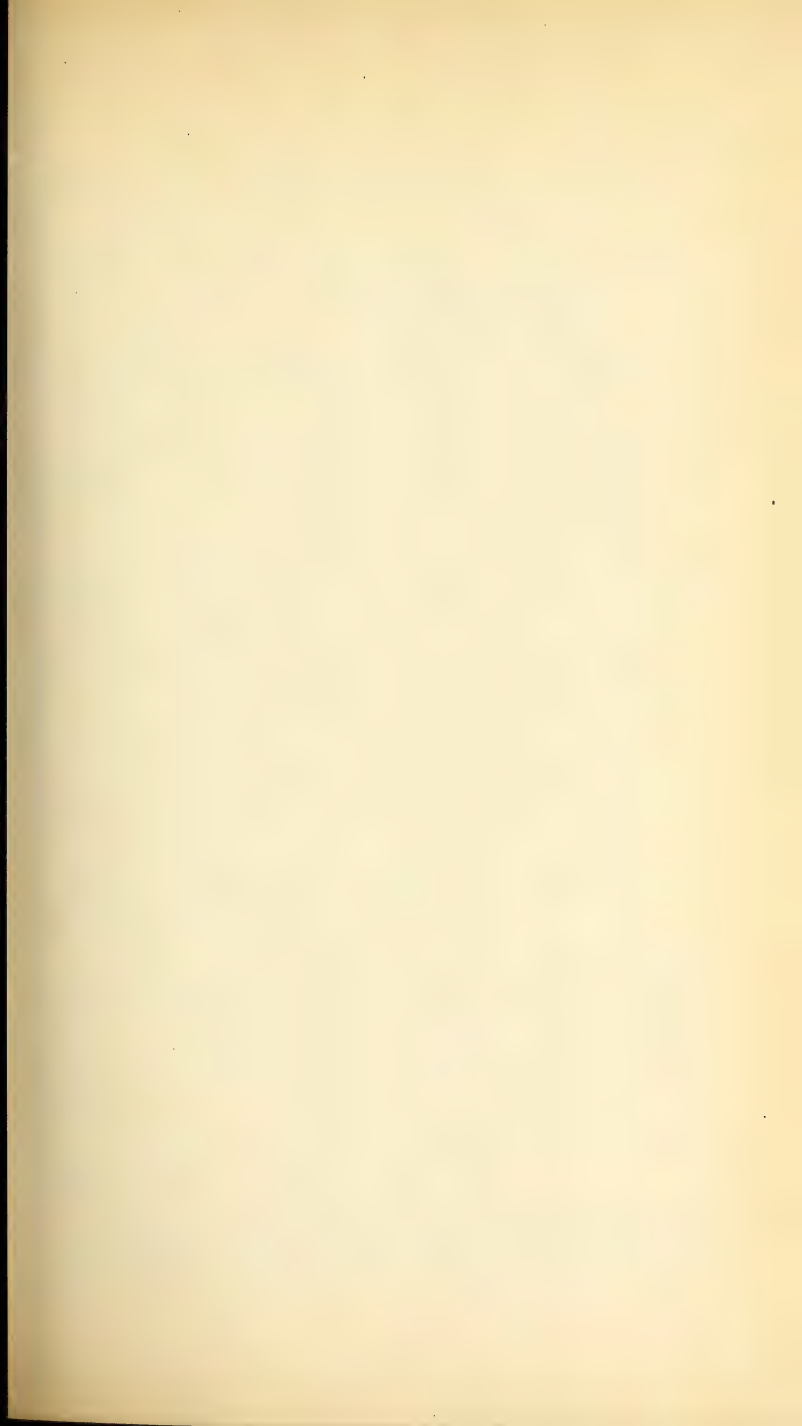
68. Colonel *Edwin M. Coates*, 7th U. S. Infantry, recently promoted from Lieutenant Colonel, 16th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Fort Wayne, Michigan, and join the 7th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

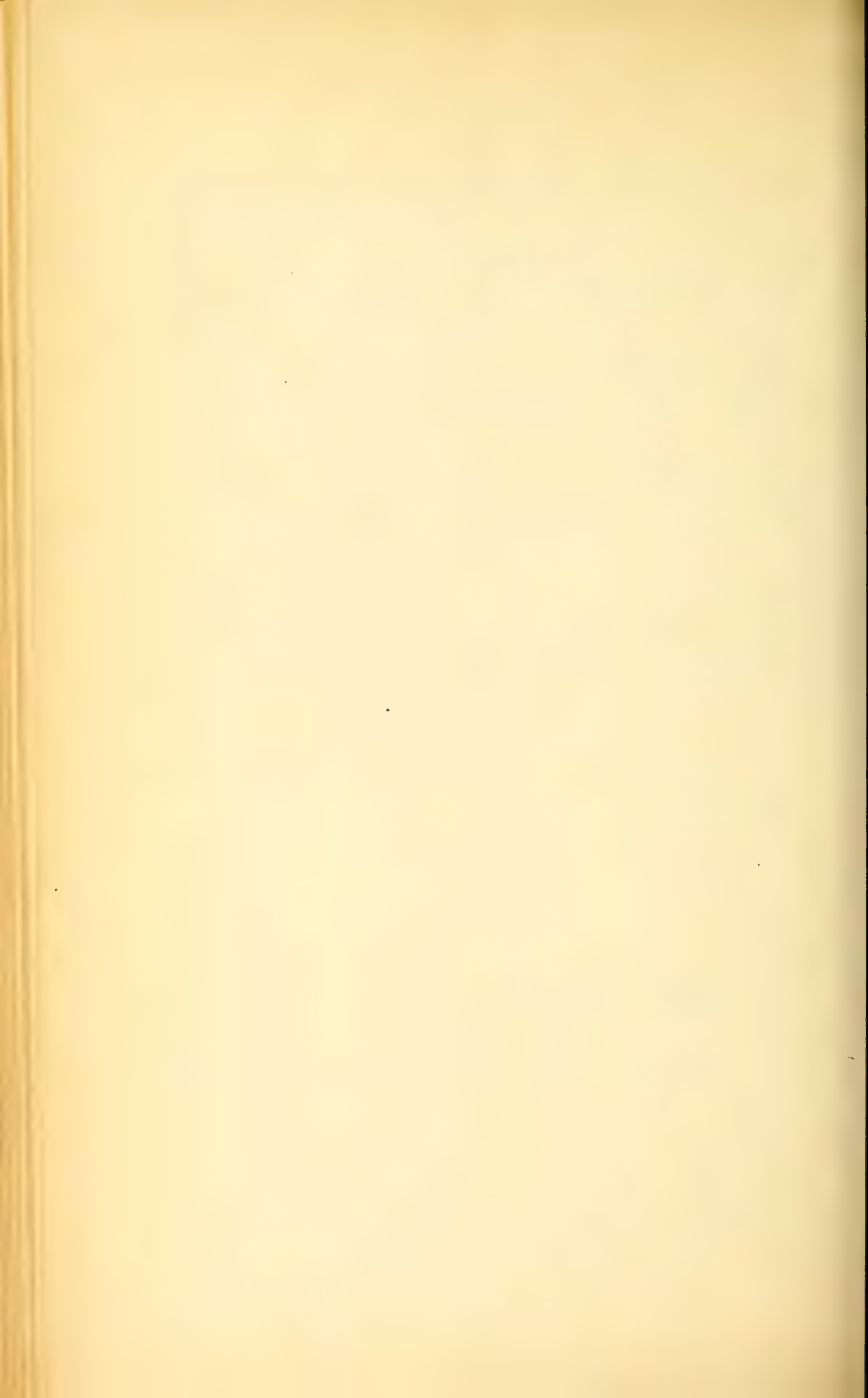
69. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Daniel P. Packard*, Adjutant, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 268. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, November 12, 1898.

1. Private *August Menke*, Troop G, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough in this city, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, the station of his troop.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations at the prescribed rate in advance for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Alonzo L. Armstrong*, Company L, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William Lytle*, Company M, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed.

Private *Frank Pear*, Company E, 2d Alabama Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter L. Frank*, Company M, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by

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their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Howard N. Moody*, Company C, and *Patrick C. Cummings*, Company E, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, by reason of desertion, of Private *Walter C. Hartley*, Company F, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *R. L. Walker*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Sebra G. Christie*, Band, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Eugene L. Lezinsky*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert Davis*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Gabriel C. Aguilera*, Company E, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George A. Kuntz*, Company E, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Benjamin H. May*, Company K, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frederick L. Wilding*, Company D, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *S. H. La Loude*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank L. Anseaume*, Company H, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Louis D. Morgan*, Company L, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Spencer B. Paxton*, Company D, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John J. Green*, Company H, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *James J. Cain* and *Edward H. Dahlich*, Company L; *George M. Andrews*, *W. B. Russell*, and *Frank Thomas*, Company K, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *James G. Donnelly, jr.*, Company D, 13th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry;

Private *J. Ward Eaton*, Company L, 1st California Volunteer Infantry;

Private *C. Ward Eicher*, Company I, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay from San Francisco, California.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Daniel Helwig*, Company H, and *Charles H. Paterson*, Company M, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ralph O. Chisolm*, Company L, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Harold A. Titcomb*, Company D, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *George E. Adams*, Company K, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Orlie B. Sheiry*, Band, and *D. L. Edmonds*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Eustace St. P. Bellinger*, Privates *E. C. Bellinger*, *Gustave F. McWilliams*, and *Darling P. Patterson, jr.*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery;

Private *J. A. Williams*, Company F, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *B. F. Newlon*, Company F, 50th Iowa Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Oliver Pegues*, Corporal *James E. Starley*, Privates *Hugh Borhwell*, *Benjamin H. Denson*, *John F. Hayden, jr.*, *Tobe Johnson*, *Thomas P. McDonald*, *J. B. Roberts*, and *Charles D. Smith*, Company K, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James Hayes*, Company I, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Albert D. Pendley*; Artificer *George B. McDonald*; Privates *Howard Bass*, *Joseph H. Bass*, *M. L. Clopton, jr.*, *W. A. Clopton*, *William A. Lee*, Company A; Quartermaster Sergeant *Percy A. Mann*; Corporal *I. Lieberstein*; Privates *Will A. Hamilton*, *H. M. Harrison*, Company B; Sergeants *Sam D. Beasley*, *Henry M. Rollins*; Corporal *Alonzo Turner*; Privates *George C. Gidron*, *E. Harrington*, *Robert A. Long*, *Leonard Maulden*, *Albert R. Pierson*, *Tom Settle*, *Wash. Wallace*, and *Stephen Young Waters*, Company C; Corporal *Marion Sims McCutchan*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Carl L. Druesdow*, Company A, *J. B. Sentell*, Company H, Corporal *Leslie Combs*, Company I, Privates *Homer Holloway*, *Ben M. Richardson*, Company K, and Corporal *James M. Coursey*, Company M, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John M. Berry*, Troop K, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldier are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James T. H. Nash*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, now supposed to be at his home, 2929 Park avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 29. 1st Army Corps, July 19, 1898, relating to Privates *Frederic M. Parham* and *Ratchford Brannon*, Company E, and *Daniel B. Cunningham*, Company M, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Charles J. Doerrsckuck*, Ordnance Detachment, now at Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, will be sent to Columbia Arsenal, Tennessee. Upon arrival there he will report to the commanding officer of the arsenal for duty.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Emilus B. Hyde*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred W. Boschen*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at his present station

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *Edward Emmett*, Troop H, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Santurce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order, by the commanding officer of his station.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John Spokes*, Battery G, 5th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Robert W. Hoff*, Signal Corps, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, will be sent to Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and upon arrival he will report to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

30. Private *George J. Reichel*, Troop F, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company H, 15th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company at Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

31. Private *William O. Letord*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Fort Riley, Kansas, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop at Fort Riley, Kansas. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richard Long*, Company F, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon in charge of the Hospital Corps Company of Instruction for duty.

33. First Lieutenant *Marcus B. Stokes*, 10th U. S. Infantry, recently mustered out as Major, 1st South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and join the 10th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Fargo*, Company F, 9th U. S. Infantry, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Cecil Stewart*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, will report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment and duty as aid-dé-camp on his staff.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward M. Brooks*, Battery C, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

37. Leave of absence for twenty days, to take effect November 2, 1898, is granted Major *William A. Wadsworth*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

38. The journey from Newport News, Virginia, to Santiago, Cuba, about July 2, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *C. L. G. Anderson*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the President, Major *Richard R. Wright*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 1, 1898, his services being no longer required.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Benjamin F. Wooding*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to Denver, Colorado, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Merritte W. Ireland*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, having reported in person to the Surgeon General of the Army in compliance with paragraph 73, Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, is relieved from further duty at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, and will proceed from this city to Fort Wayne, Michigan, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Elmore F. Taggart*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, for duty as Commissary and Acting Assistant Quartermaster on the steamer "Bratten" upon its arrival at that place, and will be

governed by the verbal instructions of the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, in the distribution of subsistence supplies to the destitute Cubans, in accordance with the act of Congress approved May 18, 1898, as published in paragraph III, General Orders, No. 56, May 27, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. Leave of absence from October 5 to include October 25, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *John M. Kenny*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

44. The sick leave of absence granted Colonel *John P. Bratt*, 1st Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 68, October 4, 1898, Department of the Pacific, is extended to include November 10, 1898.

45. Colonel *John P. Bratt*, 1st Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation to take effect November 10, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States as of that date.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Cornelius J. Cronin*, Battery G, 5th U. S. Artillery, and *Ezra M. Evans*, Company L, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon their arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of Josiah Simpson General Hospital will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive lists and accounts of pay and clothing of the soldiers prior to their departure from that post. Unless these soldiers are proper subjects for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send them to their proper stations as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

47. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Brigadier General *Harry C. Egbert*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 22d U. S. Infantry), in Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

48. The leave of absence granted Captain *Elon F. Willcox*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

49. The leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Chambers McKibbin*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for instructions, and on completion of this duty will proceed to Columbus, Georgia, and join the 2d Division, 1st Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Everett E. Benjamin*, Adjutant, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

52. First Sergeant *Frank L. Davies*, Company M, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Buffalo, New York, is transferred as a private to the 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Athens, Georgia.

53. Privates *John Lewis* and *A. A. Cunningham*, Company A, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred to Company A, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Nuevitas, Cuba.

54. First Sergeant *Henry Rabbes*, Company K, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Buffalo, New York, is transferred as a private to the 202d New York Volunteer Infantry and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Athens, Georgia.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Alexander C. Grieve*, Company B, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. The leave of absence for ten days heretofore granted Captain *Jesse L. Cramer*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is extended twenty days.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at the Army Building, New York City, for the examination of such officers of the Corps of Engineers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion:

Detail for the board.

Colonel *John W. Barlow*, Corps of Engineers;
Colonel *George L. Gillespie*, Corps of Engineers;
Lieutenant Colonel *Justus M. Brown*, Deputy Surgeon General;
Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army;
Major *Henry M. Adams*, Corps of Engineers.
The junior engineer officer will act as recorder.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the Corps of Engineers will report in person to Colonel *John W. Barlow*, Corps of Engineers, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations:

First Lieutenant *William W. Harts* (Major and Engineer Officer, U. S. Volunteers);
First Lieutenant *Robert McGregor*;
Second Lieutenant *Edwin R. Stuart*;
Second Lieutenant *George M. Hoffman*;
Second Lieutenant *John C. Oakes*;
Second Lieutenant *Sherwood A. Cheney*;
Second Lieutenant *Frederick W. Altstaetter*.
The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at San Francisco, California, for the examination of such officers of the Corps of Engineers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *Samuel M. Mansfield*, Corps of Engineers;
 Major *William H. Heuer*, Corps of Engineers;
 Major *Charles E. L. B. Davis*, Corps of Engineers;
 Major *Edward B. Moseley*, surgeon, U. S. Army;
 Captain *Thomas U. Raymond*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

The junior engineer officer will act as recorder.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Louis C. Wolf*, Corps of Engineers, will report in person to Colonel *Samuel M. Mansfield*, Corps of Engineers, president of the examining board appointed to meet at San Francisco, California, by Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

61. Under the provisions of section 14 of the act of Congress, approved April 22, 1898, and upon the adverse report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, Captain *J. E. Towers*, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry, is, by direction of the President, discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank G. Young*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Clarksburg, West Virginia, to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are made:

So much of paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, as assigns Major *Aaron H. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army, to duty at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, is revoked, and, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, he will proceed to Fort Hamilton, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for temporary duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East, to relieve Major *Francis J. Ives*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Ives*, upon being thus relieved, is relieved from further duty at Fort Wingate, New Mexico, and will proceed to Americus, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty;

Major *Frank Bruso*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from the operation of General Orders, No. 172, October 22, 1898, from this office, assigning him to the 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Robert M. O'Reilly*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, chief surgeon on the staff of Major General *James F. Wade*, U. S. Volunteers, Havana, Cuba, will proceed to this city on official business pertaining to the Medical Department, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station in Havana, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Harry M. Coursen*, Battalion Adjutant, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 252, paragraph 71, October 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

66. The extension of leave of absence granted Colonel *Henry E. Noyes*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

67. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William L. Murphy*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis A. Holliday*, U. S. Army, having reported in person to the Surgeon General of the Army in compliance with orders, will proceed from this city to Sullivan's Island, South Carolina, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Gulf.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas E. Thomas*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect October 31, 1898.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Christopher H. R. Woodward*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *George J. Winslow*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Florance E. Lea*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

71. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Hiram B. Thompson*, surgeon, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 145, October 5, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Arthur M. Dunn*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Gulf, Atlanta, Georgia, for temporary duty.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. A. Barnhardt*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and, when his services can be spared, will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that place for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Frederick L. Eisenmann*, Troop A, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Du Chesne, Utah;

Private *John E. Carrigan*, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Greble, Rhode Island;

Private *Michael W. Lewis*, Company E, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *Olin Horn*, Company M, 11th U. S. Infantry, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Frank S. Berkebile*, Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Earle P. Huff*, Hospital Corps, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marion E. Lynn*, Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Bernard Hansen*, Company G, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Horace H. Ainslie*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home, Adams, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 204, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 30, 1898, as relates to Private *Harvey O. Zerbe*, Troop A, 3d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, is revoked.

79. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harvey O. Zerbe*, Troop A, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, the boards of officers convened at the places and by the orders from this office

hereinafter specified, for the examination of officers of the Corps of Engineers, to determine their fitness for promotion, are dissolved:

San Francisco, California, convened by paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 209, September 8, 1897.

Army Building, New York City, convened by paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 53, March 6, 1897.

Army Building, New York City, convened by paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 130, June 3, 1898.

New Orleans, Louisiana, convened by paragraph 27, Special Orders, No. 163, July 13, 1898.

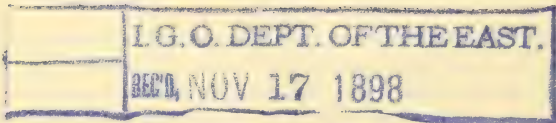
Jacksonville, Florida, convened by paragraph 24, Special Orders, No. 163, July 13, 1898.

Army Building New York City, convened by paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 163, July 13, 1898.

81. The journey performed by Lieutenant Colonel *Tully McCrea*, 5th U. S. Artillery, in returning to his station upon completion of the duty for which the Court of Inquiry was ordered by paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, is approved by the Secretary of War as necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 269. } Washington, November 14, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Boston, Massachusetts, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas M. Kerr*, Hospital Corps, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Zebulon D. Greenwood*, Company E, 5th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at Elkin, North Carolina, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Sullivans Island, South Carolina, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second Class Private *Thomas J. McKeon*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Charles K. Dawson*, Troop D, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *James L. Silverthorn*, Light Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Calvin Ashline*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Sergeant *Lorenzo A. Large*, Company K, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be in the hands

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of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Thomas J. Duffy* and *Jacob Farhback*, Battery I, 4th U. S. Artillery;

Private *Joseph A. Cannon*, Company K, 21st U. S. Infantry. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Martin P. McGrath*, Company K, 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Dowd*, Battery B, 2d U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles E. Fogerty*, Company B, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 84, Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Horan M. Bing*, Hospital Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, is amended to read Private "*Horace*" *M. Bing*.

10. Private *Albert Austin*, Troop E, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be in confinement at Manila, Philippine Islands, who deserted January 14, 1897, and was apprehended while serving in Company L, 23d U. S. Infantry, under the name of *Thomas J. Tennison*, is restored to duty without trial upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. Private *Austin* is transferred to Company L, 23d U. S. Infantry, to serve the remainder of his original enlistment.

11. The leave of absence granted Captain *Samuel W. Dunning*, 16th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 155, November 4, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month.

12. By direction of the Secretary of War, the operation of paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 265, November 9, 1898, from this office, relating to 2d Lieutenant *Samuel McP. Rutherford*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, is suspended until further orders.

13. The leave of absence granted Brigadier General *John F. Weston*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, is extended one month.

14. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Louis T. Mattes*, Adjutant, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 139, October 11, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

15. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Jesse A. Douglass*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 247, paragraph 59, October 19, 1898, from this office, is still further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alexander Ford*, Company D, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be in the hospital at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding general, Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Howard H. Uran*, Reserve Ambulance Company, 1st Army Corps, now on sick furlough at his home, Kankakee, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the hospital at Ponce, Porto Rico, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Bert Hoerner*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, now supposed to be at his home, 272 Fifteenth avenue, Newark, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 50, Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, is amended to direct Mr. Fred. C. Squires, stenographer, to accompany Colonel *Frank J. Hecker*, Quartermaster's Department, to Havana, Cuba, instead of Mr. H. G. Barrington.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 93, Special Orders, No. 209, September 5, 1898,

War Department, Adjutant General's Office, as relates to Private *Harry Chamberlain*, Company B, 158th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

First class Private *Sherman Abel*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Norton R. Travers*, Hospital Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas L. Casey*, Battery B, 2d U. S. Artillery, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

23. Sergeant *Thomas Clancy*, Troop M, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, is transferred as private to Troop B, 7th U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the station of that troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 255, October 28, 1898, from this office, as relates to Sergeant Major *John W. Healey*, 20th U. S. Infantry, is amended to read, this soldier "is" entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Wag-
 oner *Frank M. West*, Company A, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William O. Dunlap*, Troop C, 6th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *George Bolton* (appointed from 1st Sergeant, Company M, 16th U. S. Infantry, November 10, 1898), now at

Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort Duchesne, Utah. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the posts designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officers of their respective stations:

Second-class Private *Samuel Amsler*, Ordnance Detachment, Indianapolis, Indiana;

Sergeant *Joseph Lanzon*, Battery D, 7th U. S. Artillery, Portland Head, Maine.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Hugh Philips*, Company F, 20th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *James W. Currier*, Hospital Corps, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Robert Kennedy*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *George Hearn*, Troop L, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Thomas Wouldhave*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Joe Lang*, Battery I, 3d U. S. Artillery, Angel Island, California;

Private *John A. Carney*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort Washington, Maryland;

Privates *Walter E. Carr*, *Louis Saunier*, *John Fisher*, and *William H. Schrag*, Company A; *Joseph Machtied*, Company B; *Edgar O. Furrow*, Company F, and *Robert Smith*, Company G, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Privates *Thomas F. Smith*, Company E, and *John F. Fitzgerald*, Company G, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Albert Illingsworth*, Company E, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Frank R. Boyer*, Company G, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

Private *Leonard D. Wade*, Company M, 16th U. S. Infantry, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Corporal *Michael Brady*, Company C, 10th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory;

Corporal *Richard H. Wilmerton*, Company L; Privates *Louis Cohn*, *John P. Connett*, *William Curran*, *Peter Jaken*, and *Oscar P. R. Wille*, Company A; *John W. Frazier*, Company I, and *James Barry*, Company L, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Michael J. Ansbro*, Company G, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Walter Raleigh Pedigo*, Company F, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Musician *William J. Riley*, Company E, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William F. Alpetre*, Company A, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John E. Sweaney*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *William W. Curtiss*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Bernard L. Hughes*, Company —, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Crabb M. Griffith*, Company E, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Ernest C. Jenner*, Company D, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Charles D. Lide*, Company C, and *Enos D. Cockerill*, Company D, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *William R. Sumwalt*, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles Leonard*, Band, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Sergeant *George Lewis*, Company G, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Rollan P. Keith*, Company B, and *Joseph A. Kochlie*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Adolph W. Hilbert*, Company E; Corporal *John Kehoe*, and Private *John P. Halloran*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Louis C. Neumann*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Matthew P. Cassidy*, *John C. Spaulding*, Company C, *W. J. O'Meara*, Company G, *Edward T. Cody, jr.*, Company I, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Thomas P. Jenks*, Company H, and *Daniel F. O'Connor*, Company M, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John Morgan*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Luther W. Caulk*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas J. McKinney*, Company C, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Ernest M. Collins*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Elisha A. Peirce*, Company F, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William L. Howard*, Company —, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William D. Welsh*, Astor Battery, are hereby approved.

This soldier is entitled to travel-pay from San Francisco, California.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Edward F. Edwards*, Company A, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George E. Padgett*, Company G, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Frank G. Churchill* and *George H. Terriberry*, Company L, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Eugene C. Pyle*, Company I, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John O. Farthing*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Elisha M. Boldon*, Company M, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Ralph W. Wells*, Corporals *B. M. Hartung*, *Fred B. Schrader*, Privates *Joseph F. Pugh*, *Walter W. White*, *Calvin J. Martin*, and *Lester Longmire*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Hospital Steward *George B. Anderson*, 1st Vermont Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeants *William J. Abrams*, Troop C; *Theodore James Gatchell*, Troop E; Corporal *Ralph B. Cooper*, Troop G, and Sergeant *Charles N. Murphy*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Cornelius P. Voorhies*, Company E, 1st Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Nicolas Farrell*, Company D, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *John A. Haydel*, Company A; Privates *Robert W. Fuget*, Company B, and *George W. Bayhi*, Company C; Sergeant *James A. Smith*, Corporals *Henry A. Russell* and *Edward F. Fichte*, Company D; Private *John McDonough*, Company F; Sergeant *Joseph E. Jarreau*, Corporal *Richard F. Virgin*, and Musician *Francis J. Caron*, Company G; Privates *Charles A. Dickmeyer*, *Benedic J. Noonan*, and *Frederick H. Bayhi*, Company H; *Frank Corcoran* and *Loron V. Gillespie*, Company I; *Frederick Batch*, *Joseph Kreger*, *Robert E. L. Reynolds*, and *Adam Campbell*, Company K; *Frederick A. Weilbaeher*, *Alfred A. Woolledge*, *Edward L. Martin*, *Alexander B. Clark, jr.*, *Paul C. Weilbaeher*, and *Emile Morlot*, Company L, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *William S. Boswell*, Company K, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Arthur E. Lane*, Company L, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. The extension of leave of absence granted Colonel *Edgar R. Kellogg*, 6th U. S. Infantry (Brigadier General, U. S. Volunteers), in Special Orders, No. 233, October 3, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

49. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Jacob C. Smith*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John Bauder*, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Herbert W. Cardwell*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably mustered out of the service of the United States as Captain

and assistant surgeon, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry, to take effect May 25, 1898, by reason of his acceptance on May 26, 1898, of his commission as chief surgeon of volunteers with the rank of Major.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Ivy W. Ackiss*, Battery L, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery;

Privates *Ambrose L. Webb*, *Clarence Buckingham*, *Edward Bendixen*, Company A, and *Fred M. Hodges*, Company I, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Robert F. Lewis*, Company B, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William R. Patterson*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Samuel C. Parker*, Company E, and *Thomas W. Jones*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John Summerville*, Company B; Private *William E. Havens*, Company C; Corporal *Gabriel G. Hollander*, Company E; Privates *Robert E. Ford*, Company I; *Fred Suyers*, *Joseph C. Magee*, and *John W. Kennedy*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter C. Bourne*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph Eintracht*, Company M, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Charles H. Blackmond*, Company C, and Private *Sherman E. Mattocks*, Company G, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Joseph Vail*, Company D, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Henry B. Luby*, Company D, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frederick T. Harpel*, Company H, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George B. Thorp*, Company C, Corporal *Van A. Wilkins*, Company E, and Musician *Carl C. Borchers*, Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Robert M. Lowry*, *Arthur E. Shannon*, Company D; *Dewese L. Forrest*, Company F; Corporals *Clifford B. Banister* and *Frank J. Smith*, Company G, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Elmer E. Fuller*, Company B, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph C. Martin*, Company E, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jocelyn T. Hunter*, Company I, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *J. S. Crawford*, Company K, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the places designated opposite their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Sergeant *Gustave H. Hess*, Company F, 1st Montana Volunteer Infantry, Butte, Montana;

Sergeant *Thomas H. Redmond*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, 346 McLean Avenue SW., Washington, District of Columbia.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Harry Kirk*, Company G, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *B. S. Shall*, Company K, and Sergeant *F. S. Decker, jr.*, Company L, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ben P. Warren*, Band, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Arthur Spellman*, Company A, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Eugene M. Bearden*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Elmer J. Leborveau*, Company H, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph H. Mykins*, Company A, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Robert G. Fleming*, Company B, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Ralph B. Small*, Company F, and *R. Jennings*, Company H, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John Asmus*, Light Battery A, Oregon Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *James F. Akin*, Company H, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Harry Tillman Bull*, Company B, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Frank L. Brown*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

Corporal *George T. Wallace*, Company M, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Francis J. O'Donnell* and Private *Samuel S. Scott*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frank C. Allswede*, Company H, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Theodore G. Smith*, Company D, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Walter J. Moore*, Company C, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Will J. Colclench*, Company H, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *George F. Newton*, Company A, *Frank B. Folkrod*, Company B, *Barton M. Topping*, Company D, and *A. Borland*, Company E; Sergeant *George L. Bell* and Private *Jackson Phillips*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John P. Story*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is relieved from further duty as Acting Inspector General at Headquarters, Department of the East.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Joaquin L. Duenas*, U. S. Army, now on duty in

Havana, Cuba, will report in person to Major General *James F. Wade*, U. S. Volunteers, at that place, for assignment to duty.

67. Paragraph 48, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *Francis H. Beach*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is suspended until further orders.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward E. Hardin*, 7th U. S. Infantry, will report to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer at New York City, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and Acting Ordnance Officer, in connection with the muster-out of service of the 3d New York Volunteer Infantry. Upon completion of this duty, Captain *Hardin* will comply with the requirements of paragraph 19, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John B. Bellinger*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Tampa to Jacksonville, Florida, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Walter C. Hartridge*, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Allan Lefort*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date November 13, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Moses G. Zalinski*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from New London, Connecticut, to New York City, and take passage on the steamer "Berlin," sailing from that place November 16, 1898, and proceed thereon to Ponce, Porto Rico, and report by letter to the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, San Juan, for assignment to such duty as pertains to the Quartermaster's Department at Ponce. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. The travel from Havana, Cuba, to this city performed by Captain *Joseph B. Foraker, jr.*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, under telegraphic instructions communicated to him October 29, 1898, from this office, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the President, Captain *Joseph B. Foraker, jr.*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 84, Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *Samuel G. Jones, jr.*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, upon the expiration of the period stated therein to return to the place of receipt by him of that order, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to Eureka Springs, Arkansas. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert H. Beckham*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to Knoxville, Tennessee, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence of the 3d Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps, to relieve Captain *Charles E. Cabell*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles E. Cabell*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States as such by the Secretary of War, to take effect this date, he having been mustered into service October 25, 1898, as Major, 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Lawson M. Fuller*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed fifteen visits during each of the months of November and December, 1898, from the works of the Robert Poole & Son Company, Baltimore, Maryland, to the works of the Maryland Steel Company, Sparrow Point, Maryland, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ord-

nance material, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the President, paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 250, October 22, 1898, from this office, which honorably discharges from the service of the United States Captain *Frank L. Polk*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, to date November 20, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898.

80. The journey from New York City, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, about August 3, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frederick A. W. Conn*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

81. The journey from New York City, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, about September 28, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Salvador G. Ros*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from the assignments made in General Orders, No. 171, October 21, 1898, from this office, and they are assigned as follows:

Captain *Hugh D. Wise*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Brigadier General *Henry T. Douglas*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 2d Brigade, 1st Division, 7th Army Corps, for duty as Assistant Adjutant General of that brigade;

Captain *Jacob E. Bloom*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Brigadier General *Henry C. Hasbrouck*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, for duty as Assistant Adjutant General of that brigade.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of medical officers is convened to meet at the Army Building, 39 Whitehall street, New York City, November 15, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the examination of acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, and candidates for appointment to that position. The board will be governed in its proceedings by such instructions as may be communicated to it by the Surgeon General of the Army.

Detail for the board.

Major *William H. Arthur*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;
 Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers;
 Captain *Deane C. Howard*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *George H. Tuttle*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and will proceed to Boston, Massachusetts, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Louis M. Maus*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Fort Hamilton, New York.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward L. Munson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Adams, Rhode Island.

87. The journey from New York City to this city performed on October 11, 1898, by Captain *James E. Macklin*, 11th U. S. Infantry, on official business pertaining to the collection of the baggage of his regiment, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey to consist of—

Brigadier General *S. S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers;
 Major *Charles A. H. McCauley*, Quartermaster, and
 Captain *Frederick Fuger*, 4th U. S. Artillery,

is appointed to meet on board the steamship "*Olivette*," now lying at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 17, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the purpose of inspecting all the damaged property on that vessel and recommending its disposition. The junior member of the board will act as recorder.

89. The following-named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred as privates to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Northern, Griffin, Georgia:

Chief Musician *D. M. Burns*, Principal Musician *Chalmers Netzey*, Privates *Frank Young*, *Albert Taylor*, Band, and *Miles D. Cunningham*, Company D, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

90. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Harry E. Curry*, Company D, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

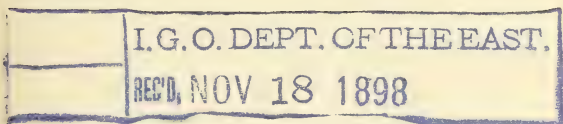
91. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that station:

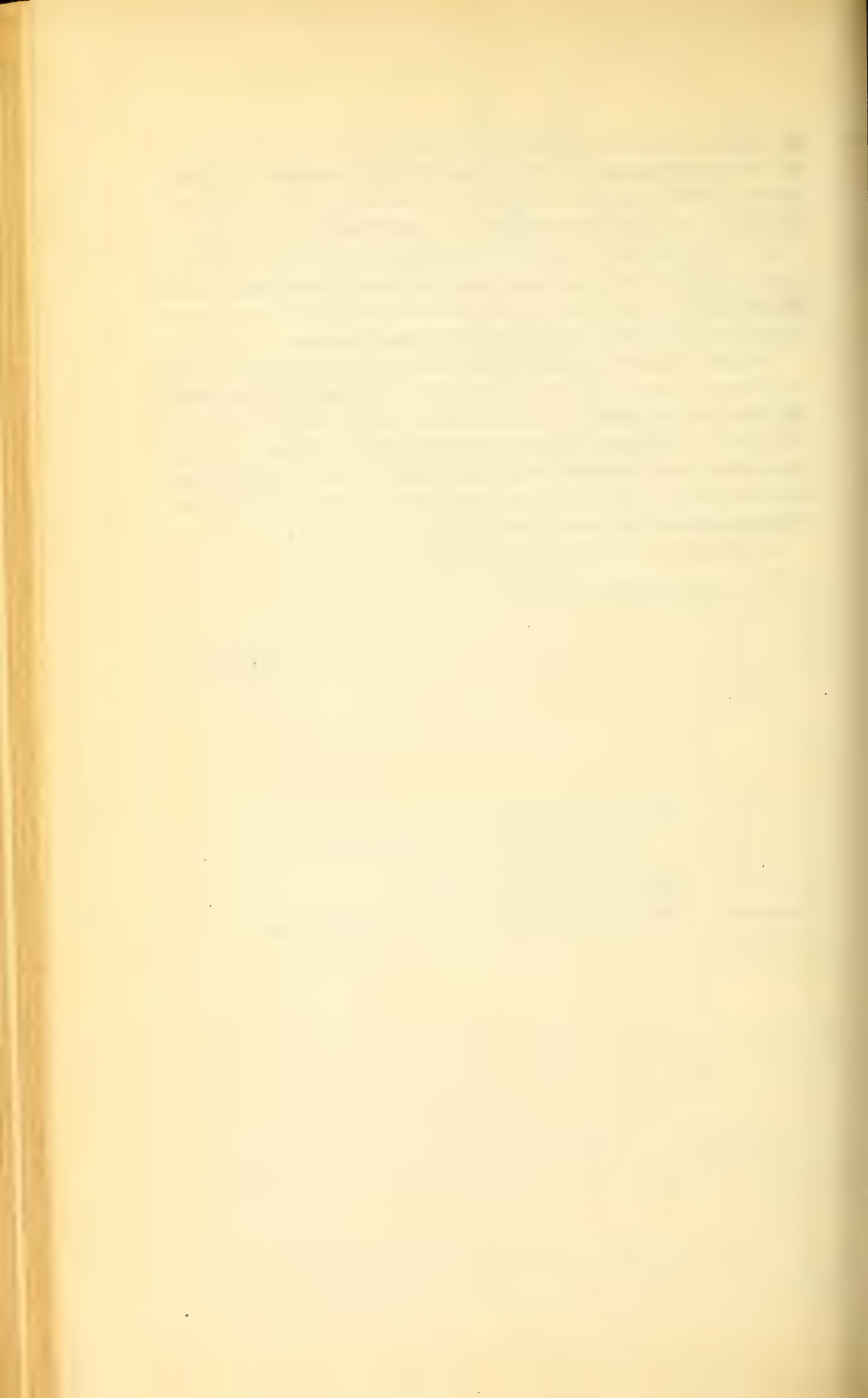
Corporal *Oscar H. Springsteen*, Company B; Sergeant *Louis F. Blend*, Private *F. F. Behringer*, Company D; Sergeant *Viggo A. F. Neilson*, Corporal *Frank J. Mills*, Private *Thomas F. Casey*, Company E; Musician *Robert McMillan*, Private *James Briggs*, Company G; Musician *William A. Featherson*, Private *John F. Schible*, Company I; and Corporal *M. Peiser*, Company M, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 270. Washington, November 15, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Charles L. Van Trees*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, now supposed to be on furlough at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Willets Point, New York, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

2. Private *George Dawson*, Company C, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, is transferred to Company E, 8th U. S. Infantry, for duty at that post.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *Thomas H. Wilson*, 2d U. S. Infantry, to report for examination for promotion before the board at Huntsville, Alabama, is revoked.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas H. Wilson*, 2d U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Joseph Frazier*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to San Luis, Cuba, and report in person to Brigadier General *Ezra P. Ewers*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. By direction of the President, Major *Frank Brusco*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898, his services being no longer required.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank Roberts*, U. S. Army, is extended eight days.

Inspector General

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, the operation of paragraph 25, Special Orders, No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, discharging Veterinary Surgeon *S. W. Service*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, from the service of the United States, is suspended until December 15, 1898.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Carl Stickney*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Acting Hospital Steward *Walton W. Kirksey*, Camp Cuba Libre, Jacksonville, Florida;

Acting Hospital Steward *Harry A. Edmondson*, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Eugene A. Nellis*, Fort Columbus, New York;

Private *Daniel W. Copeland*, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Frederick S. Morrison*, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Vine H. Tuttle*, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John Jamieson*, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Dewey Boyce*, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania;

Private *Joseph C. Read*, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *Charles F. Pomeroy*, 3d Division Hospital, 1st Army Corps, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Walter L. Brown*, Ponce, Porto Rico.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Bowen*, Troop E, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, 23 East State street, Cleveland, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lester L. Merrifield*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, will be dis-

charged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James P. Faris*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *T. G. Babbitt* and *Arthur Wilkinson*, Company F, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, relating to Corporal *John W. Crahan*, Company F, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *John W. Crahan*, Company F, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon receipt of the order at the camp, the Commanding General will order him to report to the surgeon in charge there for duty.

17. Paragraph 71, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Albert K. Kuhleke*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick C. Grove*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William J. Rogan*, Company A, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George E. Towner*, Company F, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at

Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benjamin F. Beatty*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William R. Garver*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home in Indianapolis, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 4th Corps Reserve Hospital, Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George F. Reiser*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, 436 Hamilton street, Toledo, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 4th Corps Reserve Hospital, Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 238, October 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Privates *Frank M. Brown* and *X. O'Leary*, is amended to read "*William Brown*" and "*Frank X. O'Leary*."

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John W. Uptgraft*, Troop L, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough at his home, Muncie, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William P. Tussey*, Hospital Corps, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations this soldier is not entitled to

pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

27. The following transfers are made:

Private *Thomas Fallan*, Light Battery D, 5th U. S. Artillery, to Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery;

Private *Victor Muller*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, to Light Battery D, 5th U. S. Artillery.

These transfers will take effect upon the arrival of the respective batteries at Savannah, Georgia.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Simon Born*, Company B, 7th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, 2546 Arapahoe street, Denver, Colorado, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Wayne, Michigan, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John Stephan*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Privates *Robert P. Howell*, Company A; *Oliver E. Peneurt*, Company F; *Stewart Williams* and *Elden Stoddard*, Company I; *Baxter K. Adkisson*, Company G, and *James White*, Company K, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *Morris E. Moe* and *William W. Webb*, Company C; *John A. Haeg*, Company E, and *Angelo Endizzi*, Company F, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Privates *John J. Burleson*, *James P. Gunn*, and *John C. Walker*, Company C; *Thomas Kearney*, *Thomas A. Jones*, and *Benjamin Marsh*, Company E, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *Edwin J. Kuster*, Company I, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Constantine Schmoll*, Company F, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the President, Captain *William A. H. Waldeck*, 7th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having

tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect this date.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Stevens T. Norvell*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, will await orders in this city for the convenience of the Government.

32. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William C. Rogers*, 7th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

33. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Fred L. Thatcher*, 3d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 241, paragraph 80, October 12, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

34. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *E. W. Hersh*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 135, October 19, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Daniel M. Appel*, surgeon, Captain *Benjamin K. Roberts*, 5th U. S. Artillery, and 1st Lieutenant *Deane C. Howard*, assistant surgeon, are detailed as members of the examining board convened at the Army Building, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *Timothy E. Wilcox*, surgeon, Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon of Volunteers, and Captain *Henry L. Harris*, 1st U. S. Artillery, who are hereby relieved.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *Edward W. Pinkham* and *John S. Fogg*, U. S. Army, are relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post for duty.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Harry A. Barnhardt*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Chickamauga Park, Georgia, to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John B. Clarke*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now awaiting orders at Savannah, Georgia, will proceed to Augusta, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence of the 3d Brigade, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, to relieve Captain *Harlow L. Street*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers. Captain *Street*, upon being thus relieved, will report by letter to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Hernan D. Money, jr.*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following named 2d Lieutenants, recently appointed in the Infantry arm of the service, with rank from October 10, 1898, are assigned to regiments as hereinafter indicated:

Second Lieutenant *James B. Allison*, to the 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Second Lieutenant *J. Lessene De Witt*, to the 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Second Lieutenant *Charles E. Morton*, to the 22d U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska;

Second Lieutenant *Van Leer Wills*, to the 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Second Lieutenant *Ethelbert L. D. Breckinridge*, to the 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Second Lieutenant *Garrison McCaskey*, to the 25th U. S. Infantry, Fort Logan, Colorado.

The officers named will proceed to join the regiments to which they are assigned not later than December 1, 1898, and the respective regimental commanders will assign them to companies and report the assignments promptly by letter to this office.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert M. Rogers*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Maine, and will proceed to

Fort Adams, Rhode Island, and there join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Andrew H. Russell*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from St. Paul, Minnesota, to the works of the Sergeant Company, Chicago, Illinois, on official business pertaining to the manufacture of seacoast mortar carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John G. Butler*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Augusta, Maine, to Fort Constitution, New Hampshire, on official business pertaining to the inspection and repair of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Elmer S. Tenney*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Chicago, Illinois, to New York City, New York, and upon arrival there will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. Private *E. H. Raut*, Troop D, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry, now at San Antonio, Texas, is transferred to Company G, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, and will report to the commanding officer of that company at that station for duty.

46. Private *Idus D. Felder*, Company A, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Macon, Georgia, is transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers at that station, and will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for duty.

47. By direction of the President, Captain *Lee Linn*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Lewis M. Walker*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to Denver, Colorado, and upon his arrival there will report by letter to the Surgeon General of

the Army for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Milton D. Norris*, U. S. Army.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, and will be sent to Macon, Georgia, and report to Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, signal officer, 1st Army Corps, for duty:

Privates *Elmer M. Baumgartner* and *Charles W. Dern*, Company C; *Harry W. Shaw*, Company H, and Corporal *Harold F. Gasser*, Company M, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, Macon, Georgia;

Corporal *John G. Leoranger*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tennessee.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank A. Clifford*, Troop H, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Valentine McNally*, ordnance storekeeper, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the operations of that arsenal, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Leonard B. Wildman*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Danbury, Connecticut, to this city, and report in person to the Chief Signal Officer of the Army for special instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *F. Arthur Zeller*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Chickamauga Park to Americus, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. The following assignment by the President is announced by the Secretary of War:

Brigadier General *William W. Gordon*, U. S. Volunteers, to the command of the 2d Brigade, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps. He will join his command at Macon, Georgia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

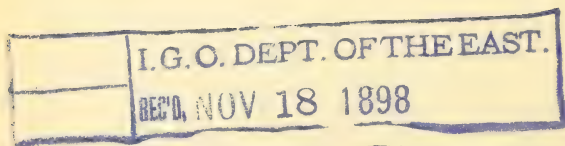
Captain *William R. Conrad*, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John M. Martin*, assistant surgeon, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

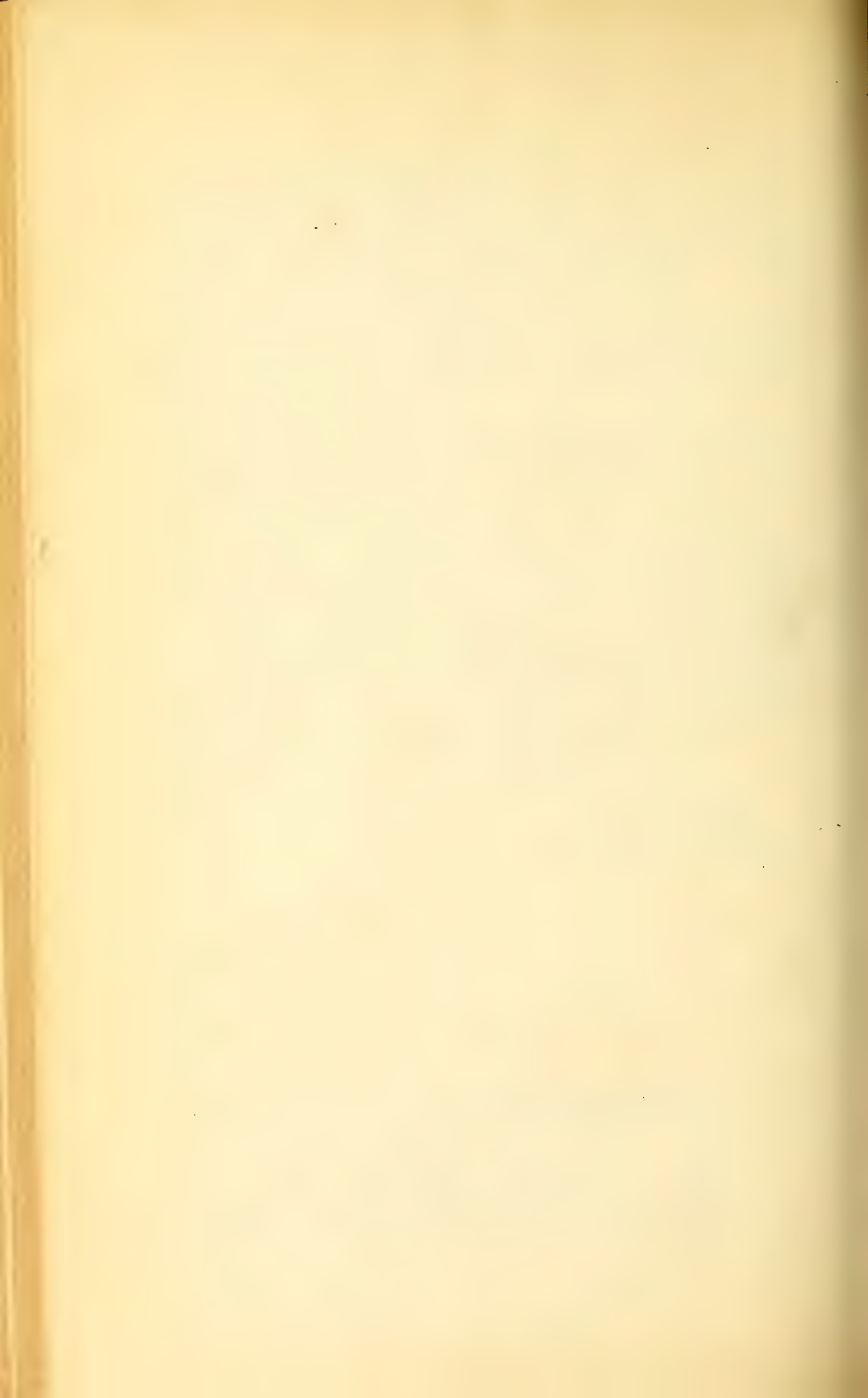
57. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey, to consist of Captain *E. R. Hutchins*, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, is appointed to meet at Tampa, Florida, November 21, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the purpose of reporting upon and fixing the responsibility for the damaged condition of certain quartermaster's supplies for which Lieutenant Colonel *J. B. Bellinger*, Depot Quartermaster at that point, is accountable.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 271. } Washington, November 16, 1898.

1. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 67, Special Orders, No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges from the Volunteer Army of the United States Brigadier General *Charles E. Compton*, Colonel, 4th U. S. Cavalry, to date December 6, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War to take effect January 6, 1899, when he will join his regiment.

2. Captain *Henry J. Reilly*, 5th U. S. Artillery, accompanied by the Quartermaster Sergeant of his battery, will proceed to Fort Riley, Kansas, for the purpose of preparing for shipment to Fort Hamilton, New York, certain property belonging to Light Battery F, 5th U. S. Artillery, and the officers thereof, and upon the completion of that duty Captain *Reilly* and the Quartermaster Sergeant will return to their proper stations. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William H. Boyle*, 21st U. S. Infantry, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Madison Barracks, New York, by Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *Thomas Wilhelm*, 21st U. S. Infantry, who is hereby relieved.

4. Leave of absence for fourteen days on account of sickness is granted Major *Fred T. Jones*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

5. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Samuel P. Lyon*, 25th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include November 30, 1898, on account of sickness.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles Gerhardt*, 8th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from further duty at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, and will join his regiment at Huntsville, Alabama. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Richard H. Wilson*, 8th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from mustering duty at Cheyenne, Wyoming, and will join his regiment at Huntsville, Alabama. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Reilly General

8. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Roger B. Bryan*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 133, October 13, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

9. The extension of leave of absence granted Major *Alfred C. Markley*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, is further extended ten days.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 9, Special Orders, No. 265, November 9, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *John H. Doran*, Company B, 6th U. S. Infantry, is amended to read *John H. "Doan."*

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred R. Watson*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the General Hospital at that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Manning*, Hospital Corps, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Virgil G. Williams*, Company H, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at No. 1421 F street NW., Washington, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of W. Mosby Williams, at the address herein given. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John Conroy*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory;

Sergeant *James W. Riley* and Private *Albert Skees*, Troop C, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William E. Justice*, Troop B, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John Riley*, Troop F, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Puerto Principe, Cuba;

Private *Robertertio H. Escott*, Company D, 10th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Milton S. Bucher*, Company B, *Allen F. Fisher*, Company G, and *Herman Kappes*, Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 17th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that regiment:

Privates *Frank E. Laughner*, *Harry T. Meredith*, *Worden Spencer*, and *Joseph C. Williams*, Company A;

Privates *Richard E. Cole*, *George W. Dildine*, and *Ernest W. Harris*, Company B;

Privates *George W. Bringardner*, *Thomas A. Collins*, and *Frank Wenger*, Company C;

Private *Enoch N. Millhizer*, Company D;

Private *Cliff F. Phillips*, Company E;

Private *Joseph F. McNamara*, Company F;

Private *William G. Libbertt*, Company G;

Privates *Charles E. Bashor*, *Frank A. Kemerer*, and *Charles Sauerbier*, Company H;

Privates *Frank Donavon*, *Samuel L. Duff*, *William H. Gillespie*, *Roselle Edwards*, *Harry G. Ridgway*, *Maurice Scanlan*, and *Christian A. Stocker*, Company I.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John F. Walsh*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, now on sick furlough at his home, New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry E. Remington*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, Sedalia, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the

discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Eugene L. Burch*, Company C, 8th U. S. Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, Lockport, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John S. Tyrreell*, Troop K, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Norbert Hundt*, Troop G, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

21. Private *Arthur L. Stucky*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 17th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel Ginsburg*, Battery I, 7th U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph P. Treanor*, Troop A, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John F. Ryan*, Troop H, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Camp A. G. Forse, Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George E. Maguire*, Troop C, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed

to be on sick furlough at his home, Ewingville, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Melvine L. Cockerill*, Hospital Corps, now at the Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, relating to Commissary Sergeant *Henry A. Hoskins*, is revoked.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Henry A. Hoskins*, now supposed to be at at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be sent to Mayaguez, Porto Rico, and will report upon his arrival at that place to the commanding officer for duty.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred Troescher*, Troop D, 3d U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. Musician *Zillie Jenkins*, Company D, 6th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is transferred as private to the 6th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort McHenry, Maryland, for assignment to a battery. The entire cost (transportation and increased cost of subsistence) attending this transfer will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of the battery to which he may be assigned.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Anton Humm*, Band, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, by the commanding officer of his station.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wakefield Graham*, Troop L, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Matthew Flynn*, Band, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, by the commanding officer of his station.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richard D. Parmelee*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at Cleveland, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

First-class Private *John H. Parker* and 2d Class Private *John F. Crooke*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Jefferson T. Giles*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *James Ward*, Troop A, and Sergeant *William T. Simpson*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Dempsey Griffin*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Fred Wildberger*, Troop C, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Nuevitas, Cuba;

Private *James Forbis*, Troop K, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Puerto Principe, Cuba;

Private *Theodore Durdin*, Troop I, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William F. P. King*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *William J. Becker*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Phillip Kempf*, Company M, 5th U. S. Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *John S. Pryor*, Company A, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *Albert Wedow*, Company C, and Recruit *Edward L. McCormack*, Company —, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *Peter H. Scheeler*, Company I, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama:

Privates *John Snyder* and *Mark Snyder*, Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Henry Wempner*, Company D, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. Private *Charles M. James*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to the station of the 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Edwin Landon*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer for the State of New Hampshire. First Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery, chief mustering officer, will assume the duties now being performed by Lieutenant *Landon*. Lieutenant *Landon*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to Fort Adams, Rhode Island, and there join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. Quartermaster Sergeant *Harry Leonard*, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop F, 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

39. Leave of absence for ten days is granted Captain *Francis A. Winter*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on account of sickness is granted Captain *Henry C. Fisher*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

41. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Jefferson D. Poindexter*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

42. The leave of absence granted Captain *William C. McFarland*, 16th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 157, current series, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month.

43. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Joshua L. Fowler*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 138, October 18, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *David S. Stanley*, 22d U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aide camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles G. Morton*, 6th U. S. Infantry (Lieutenant Colonel, 1st Maine Volunteers), will, when mustered out of the volunteer service, assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Maine.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *John E. Garrity*, Company C, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, is, upon his own application, transferred to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, and directed to report to Captain *J. P. Wooten*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, San Juan, Porto Rico. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *R. W. Ropiequet*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward A. Joel*, Hospital Corps, now on sick furlough at his home in New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Reserve Ambulance Company, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of Judge *Joseph H. Stiner*, 824 Lexington avenue, New York City. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Chaplain *Welford D. Weaver*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *George F. Seymour*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *John T. Jones*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *John H. Nolen*, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Malachy Loughlin*, Company D, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of his regiment will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that station. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will on conclusion of treatment send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Quartermaster Sergeant *James O. Watson*, Company K, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant Secretary of War directs that the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, be, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect upon receipt of this order at the posts, and repair to their homes:

First Sergeant *Julius Wuerz*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

Sergeant *Daniel Gilligan*, Company B, 11th U. S. Infantry, Mayaguez, Porto Rico.

Private *George Fulton*, Hospital Corps, Augusta Arsenal, Georgia.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be

paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journeys are necessary for the public service.

53. Upon the recommendation of the regimental commander, the following transfers are ordered in the 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry:

First Lieutenant *Edwin T. Walker*, from Company G to Company C;

First Lieutenant *Richard C. L. Moncure*, unassigned, to Company G.

54. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *William W. Inglis*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 225, paragraph 5, September 23, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

55. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted the following-named officers:

Captain *Ellis Duncan*, assistant surgeon, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John Kobs, jr.*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frank M. Hammond*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Columbus, Ohio, for temporary duty, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George J. Newgarden*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Artillery, for duty, and will proceed with the batteries of that regiment from Fort Adams, Rhode Island, to Savannah, Georgia.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are ordered:

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Ricardo Gaston*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Crook, Nebraska, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Artillery, for assignment to duty;

First Lieutenant *Clarence J. Manly*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on detached duty at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort

Thomas, Kentucky, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Artillery, for assignment to duty;

First Lieutenant *Richard P. Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty with the 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Artillery, for assignment to duty.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ambrose E. Gonzales*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Summerville, South Carolina, and report by letter to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster of the 2d Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

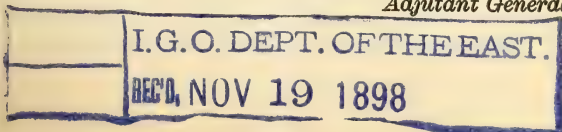
60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Arthur Thompson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from his present duties at Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and will proceed to this city not later than November 20, 1898, and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

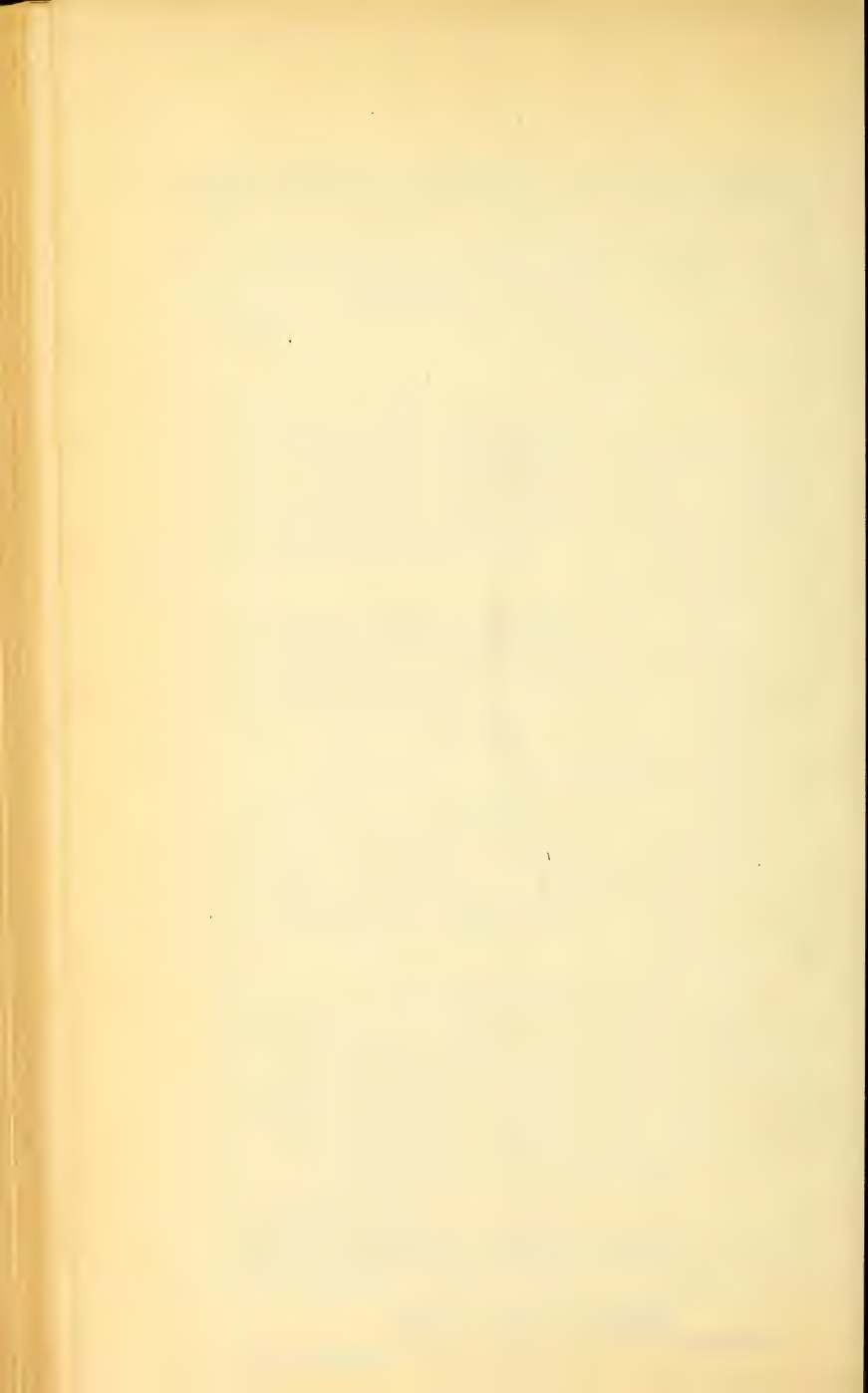
61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ira C. Brown*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will turn over the U. S. General Hospital at Montauk Point, New York, to the Quartermaster's Department at as early a date as practicable, and will then proceed to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Roger P. Ames*, U. S. Army, now on duty at Camp Forse, Huntsville, Alabama, will proceed to New Orleans, Louisiana, and on arrival there will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 272. } Washington, November 17, 1898.

1. Private *Charles L. Patterson*, Company D, 24th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Fort Douglas, Utah.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for five days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert E. Belanger*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough at his home, Forest Lake, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. The extension of leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Chambers McKibbin*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include December 1, 1898, on account of sickness.

4. The journey from Ponce, Porto Rico, to Washington, District of Columbia, about November 1, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *George G. Morris*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Alexis R. Paxton*, 15th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer for the State of Pennsylvania, and will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and there join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *L. W. H. Peyton*, Company L, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to Brigadier General *Henry T. Douglas*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment and duty as aid-de camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. Second Lieutenant *Peyton G. Clark*, 13th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty at the General Hospital, Montauk Point, New York, and will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

Inspector General.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry M. Pierce*, Hospital Corps, Field Hospital, 4th Army Corps, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. Private *George Ferry*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that station.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, as relates to Corporal *Harry Geeting*, Company B, 4th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John N. Coe*, 13th U. S. Infantry, is detailed as a member of the examining board, appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, *vice* Major *John P. Story*, 2d U. S. Artillery, who is hereby relieved.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Edgar B. Miller* and *Barnum C. McCusker*, Battery L, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Battery Point, Delaware, are transferred as 2d class privates to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. They will be sent to Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report upon their arrival to 1st Lieutenant *George C. Burnell*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty with the Signal Detachment at that post.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Adeodat Fournier*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report for duty to 1st Lieutenant *George C. Burnell*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at his present station.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *I. N. Selph*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory, will be sent to Savannah, Georgia. He will report upon his arrival at that station to Lieutenant Colonel *J. E. Maxfield*, Volunteer Signal Corps, signal officer, 7th Army Corps, for duty.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John F. Leabee*, Company A, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be discharged without

honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Gustavus A. Borowski*, Hospital Corps, Ambulance Company, 1st Division, 3d Army Corps, now in confinement at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *John McKean* and *Thomas Murphy*, Troop I, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Nuevitas, Cuba, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant Major *H. Peter*, Troop I, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now on sick furlough at his home, Darnestown, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, at the address herein given. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert I. Clapham*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

20. Blacksmith *Loyd McGown*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be transferred to Company L, 15th U. S. Infantry, now at that station.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *James C. Harrington*, Ordnance Detachment, now at Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, will be sent to West Point, New York. He will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty with the Ordnance Detachment at that post.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Morgan*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Presidio

of San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. Corporal *Frederick J. Baker*, Company D, 15th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred as private to Company G, 10th U. S. Infantry, at that station.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles Stubbfield*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *Dennis McCarthy*, Battery A, 6th U. S. Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Mitchell*, Troop I, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

26. Private *Clyde L. Rector*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Newnan, Georgia, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 4th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charley B. Derstine*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Newnan, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, to date September 18, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Eleutheros H. Cooke*, Company I, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Sergeant *Henry Rabbes*, Company K, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert Loghry*, Company D, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Athens, Georgia, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. He will be sent to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and ordered to report to Lieutenant Colonel *E. B. Ives*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Murphy*, Company I, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Greenville, South Carolina, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. He will be sent to Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and ordered to report to Lieutenant Colonel *E. B. Ives*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

32. Privates *James R. Summers* and *George E. Grubbs*, Band, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Camp Northern, Griffin, Georgia.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John G. Gardner*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

34. The sick leave of absence granted Major *Charles L. Tilden*, 1st California Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 51, September 17, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

35. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *C. H. R. Woodward*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 241, paragraph 53, October 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include November 12, 1898.

36. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Raymond P. Snow*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 92, September 6, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

37. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted to Major *Murray T. Clement*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 127, September 29, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

38. The following transfers are made in the 25th U. S. Infantry, to take effect this date:

Captain *Owen J. Sweet*, from Company K to Company L;

Captain *Charles L. Hodges*, from Company H to Company M;

First Lieutenant *Joseph P. O'Neil*, from Company F to Company D;

First Lieutenant *William J. Pardee*, from Company G to Company M;

First Lieutenant *Amos B. Shattuck*, from Company D to Company F;

First Lieutenant *Frank H. Albright*, from Company C to Company G;

Second Lieutenant *Girard Sturtevant*, from Company E to Company A;

Second Lieutenant *Howard W. French*, from Company A to Company L;

Second Lieutenant *John E. Hunt*, from Company D to Company I.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Joseph C. Byron*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wilfred Greene*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his command, Summerville, South Carolina, and will report upon his arrival there to the surgeon in charge for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry P. Birmingham*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), is relieved from further duty as attending surgeon and examiner of recruits at Chicago, Illinois, to date from June 25, 1898.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. M. Newell*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to St. Louis, Missouri, and, on arrival there, will report by letter to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Jesse Ramsburgh*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Plattsburgh Barracks, New York, to this city, and, upon arrival, will report to the Surgeon General of the Army for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Ira A. Shimer*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, and, when Captain *William F. Lippitt, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, shall have reported for duty at that hospital, will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Louis W. Crampton*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in addition to his present duties at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will exercise supervision over sick soldiers in civil hospitals in Baltimore, Maryland.

46. The journey from Montgomery, Alabama, to Washington, District of Columbia, under telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, dated July 20, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. B. Wilkinson*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

47. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *William P. Jackson*, 2d U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, is changed to ordinary leave of absence from November 16, 1898, and extended seven days.

48. The leave of absence granted Major *David F. Powell*, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 21, current series, Headquarters, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 234, October 4, 1898, from this office, as directs 2d Lieutenant *Thomas A. Pearce*, 7th U. S.

Infantry, to report for examination for promotion before the board at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is revoked.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Thomas A. Pearce*, 7th U. S. Infantry, will report in person without delay to Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, (Colonel, 7th U. S. Cavalry), president of the examining board appointed to meet at Denver, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, as amended by Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

51. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *R. M. Brookfield*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 140, October 20, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month and ten days.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George Montgomery*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to the works of Warner and Swasey, Cleveland, Ohio, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles B. Wheeler*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to Sparrows Point, Maryland, on official business pertaining to the manufacture of seacoast mortar carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. Cadet *Rowland C. Sheldon*, 3d Class, U. S. Military Academy, having been reported deficient in study and recommended by the Academic Board to be discharged, is discharged from the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

55. Upon the recommendation of the Academic Board, Cadet *Frederick D. Griffith, jr.*, 3d Class, U. S. Military Academy, is turned back by the Secretary of War to join the present 4th Class at once.

56. Upon the recommendation of the Academic Board, the following-named cadets of the 3d Class, U. S. Military Academy, are permitted by the Secretary of War to continue with their class, and be examined in January, next, upon the entire course of the 3d Class in mathematics for the present term:

Charles Burnett,
William M. Cooley,
Eli T. Fryer,
Richard H. Jordan,
George M. Lee,
Charles L. Maguire,
Emory J. Pike,
Gordon Robinson,
Edward M. Shinkle,
Louis J. Van Shaick.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William Lassiter*, 16th U. S. Infantry, is relieved, to take effect November 25, 1898, from duty as assistant to the chief mustering officer for the State of New York, and will join his regiment not later than December 1, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Russell C. Langdon*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank B. McCoy*, 2d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty with the National Guard of Minnesota, to take effect December 5, 1898, on which date he will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Charles T. Pollard*, surgeon, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month and fourteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Charles B. Vogdes*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended three months on account of sickness.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Asbery W. Yancey*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to this city, on official business pertaining to the Signal Corps of the Army, under such special instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to

his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. The following transfers are made in the 5th U. S. Artillery, to take effect this date:

Second Lieutenant *Louis R. Burgess*, from Battery M to Battery L;

Second Lieutenant *Conway H. Arnold, jr.*, from Battery L to Battery M.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made at the request of the officers concerned, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Harrison J. Price*, from the 24th U. S. Infantry to the 2d U. S. Infantry, Company E;

First Lieutenant *William P. Jackson*, from the 2d U. S. Infantry to the 24th U. S. Infantry, Company F.

Lieutenant *Jackson* will join the 24th U. S. Infantry on the expiration of his present leave of absence.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Edward Conleski*, Company A, 7th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged from the service by the commanding officer, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, to date November 12, 1898. The soldier will be directed to apply by letter to the Auditor for the War Department for settlement of his accounts.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Colonel *Casimer Andel*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *George B. Serenbetz*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry.

67. Under instructions from the President, 1st Lieutenant *George D. Moore*, 23d U. S. Infantry, is relieved by the Secretary of War from further duty at Kemper School, Booneville, Missouri.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George D. Moore*, 23d U. S. Infantry, recently mustered out as Major, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence

for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *George D. Moore*, 23d U. S. Infantry,

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas McCaw*, Company D, 5th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date September 18, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ike Epstein*, Company B, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 263, November 7, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenants *Basil H. Dutcher* and *Irving W. Rand*, assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, is revoked.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *William Williams*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

74. Leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *William W. McCann*, 14th U. S. Infantry.

75. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *George H. Knox*, 20th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 56, October 13, 1898, Department of the Missouri, is extended one month on account of sickness.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *William Edward Downs*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Chenault O'Brien*, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edwin T. Cole*, 6th U. S. Infantry, as soon as he shall have completed the duties assigned him at Darien, Georgia, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, for temporary duty in the preparation of his report of the work performed by the

Subsistence Department in relieving the sufferers from the tidal wave in the State of Georgia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Nathan J. Griffin*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, is extended seven days.

79. The leave of absence heretofore granted Captain *Albert D. Ogborn*, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, is extended ten days.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edwin P. Brewer*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from recruiting duty at Omaha, Nebraska, and will proceed to join his troop. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from Madison Barracks, New York, to this city, on official business pertaining to the Medical Department, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas Kirkpatrick Brice*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of his resignation, to take effect January 1, 1899.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Valery Havard*, surgeon, U. S. Army, having reported to the Surgeon General of the Army, in compliance with paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 233, October 3, 1898, from this office, will return to his proper station, Santiago, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.

SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 273. } Washington, November 18, 1898.

1. Private *Richard H. Newman*, Troop K, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer of the post for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for six days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. Artificer *Jesse E. Parker*, Company B, 24th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his company, Fort Douglas, Utah. He will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for five days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Christ Bellar* and *John Persine*, Battery M, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Samuel M. Bell*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *William P. Edwards*, Troop L, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Benedict A. Graban*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ole Gunderson*, Company A, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will be sent to Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report for duty upon his arrival to 1st Lieutenant *G. C. Burnell*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that post.

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6. Under paragraph 155 of the Regulations, Private *Henry Weir*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, for medical treatment.

7. Sergeant Major *Edward J. Owens*, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred as private to Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that post.

8. Private *Charles Kjalquist*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post.

9. Privates *Conrad Kleinhenz*, Company B, and *Cornelius V. Barrows*, Company G, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, are transferred to the 17th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 58, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, as relates to Commissary Sergeant *Edwin F. Ambrose*, is revoked.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *Edwin F. Ambrose*, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will, upon expiration of furlough, be sent to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer to relieve Commissary Sergeant *Louis V. DeBirney*;

Sergeant *DeBirney*, when thus relieved, will be sent to West Point, New York, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer to relieve Commissary Sergeant *Patrick Kenealy*;

Sergeant *Kenealy*, when thus relieved, will comply with the orders relating to him as published in paragraph 58, Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office.

12. Paragraph 31, Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *William O. Letord*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

13. Private *Joseph Feltrinelli*, Band, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the Band, 9th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that organization, Madison Barracks, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by

the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

14. Quartermaster Sergeant *Charles W. Ballard* and Private *Joseph Dorley*, Company G, 16th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, are transferred as privates to Company G, 10th U. S. Infantry, at that station.

15. Private *Charles Huntley*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is, upon his own application, transferred to Light Battery F, 2d Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

16. Private *Frank T. Brailey*, Company —, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Madison Barracks, New York, is transferred to Company F, 9th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

17. Private *George Eisenberg*, Company G, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop G, 7th U. S. Cavalry, at that station.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Parker S. Bishop*, Hospital Corps, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

19. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James G. Harbord*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Lewis Balch*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the 2d Army Corps, and will report in person to the commanding general of the 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Sanitary Inspector, and in that capacity will accompany the first troops sent to Cienfuegos, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *William H. Hamilton*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 152, October 24, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Lincoln C. Andrews*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as aid-de-camp on the staff of Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed to West Point, New York, and report in person to the Superintendent, U. S. Military Academy, for duty at the Academy. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Ralph L. Taylor*, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Beaumont B. Buck*, 16th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer for the State of Texas, to take effect December 1, 1898, and will join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Luther R. Hare*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty, to take effect December 1, 1898, as chief mustering officer for the State of Texas, and will join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are ordered:

First Lieutenant *Powell C. Fauntleroy*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer, U. S. Hospital Ship "Missouri," for duty, to relieve Captain *Alexander N. Stark*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

Captain *Stark*, upon being thus relieved, is assigned to duty in command of the U. S. Hospital Ship "Bay State."

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *L. J. F. Rooney*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, will report in person to Brigadier General *James Rush Lincoln*, U. S. Volunteers, Greenville, South Carolina, for appointment as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *William M. Crofton*, 1st U. S. Infantry, is extended seven days on account of sickness.

29. Leave of absence for two months is granted 1st Lieutenant *John P. Ryan*, 6th U. S. Cavalry.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty to date September 28, 1898, of Major *Gustave W. S. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps (1st Lieutenant, 6th U. S. Artillery), as mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer at Boston, Massachusetts, in connection with the furloughing for sixty days and muster out of service at the expiration of that period of the 10th U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is announced. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *L. V. Rausch*, Quartermaster, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 141, October 13, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers to consist of—

Lieutenant Colonel *M. C. Martin*, Quartermaster's Department,

Captain *John Pitcher*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, and

Captain *G. E. Sage*, 6th U. S. Artillery,

is appointed to meet November 21, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, at Fort Myer, Virginia, for the purpose of determining what portion of the Fort Myer reservation may be set aside for the use of the Signal Corps without detriment to the post or its future development. The junior member of the board will act as recorder. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *Frank B. Denning*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 29, 1st Army Corps, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, upon the request of the Board of Commissioners of the Soldiers' Home in the District of Columbia, the Quartermaster's Department will

furnish transportation to this city to enable him to enter the Soldiers' Home, the cost to be refunded by the Treasurer of the Home, for—

John Ellison, late private, Company D, 1st U. S. Infantry, from San Francisco, California.

35. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect November 21, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *John F. Preston, jr.*, Adjutant, 16th U. S. Infantry.

36. Leave of absence for one month and fifteen days, to take effect December 4, 1898, is granted Captain *Francis J. Kernan*, 2d U. S. Infantry.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *H. B. Emerson*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 165, October 24, 1898, Department of California, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

38. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John A. Condon*, Adjutant, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 48, October 8, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended fifteen days.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, under instructions from the President, the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, Cuba, will convene such boards of officers from time to time as may be necessary for the examination of officers serving in that department, to determine their fitness for promotion under the Act of Congress approved October 1, 1890.

The boards will be constituted under and their proceedings governed by the rules prescribed by the President, as published in General Orders, No. 41, June 24, 1897, War Department, Adjutant General's Office.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *William R. Sample*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Elbert E. Persons*, U. S. Army.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Eugene Jones*, Company M, 25th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Logan, Colorado, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Harlow L. Street*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, upon being relieved from duty as Commissary, 3d Brigade, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to Major *George W. Ruthers*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty as an assistant in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George Dyer*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 20, 1898.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Randal R. Hunter*, U. S. Army, having reported to the Surgeon General of the Army, in compliance with orders from Headquarters, Department of Santiago, is granted leave of absence for twenty days, at the expiration of which he will report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for orders.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John G. D. Knight*, Corps of Engineers, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, for service therewith during the examination of 1st Lieutenant *William W. Harts*, Corps of Engineers (Major and engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers), only, vice Major *Henry M. Adams*, Corps of Engineers, who will resume his seat on the board for all other examinations.

Upon the conclusion of the examination, Major *Knight* will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

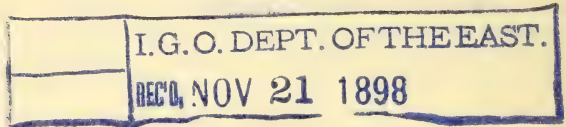
47. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Herbert J. Harris*, U. S. Army, now on duty at Walker, Leech Lake, Minnesota, will proceed to Americus, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By order of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert H. Patterson*, 1st U. S. Artillery, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Texas after December 1, 1898.

First Lieutenant *Clough Overton*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, will report by letter to Captain *Patterson* as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 274. } Washington, November 19, 1898.

1. The following-named enlisted men now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred as privates to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry:

Private *James L. Husketh*, Company A; Sergeants *W. J. Foster*, *Charles L. Humphries*; Privates *Jay Armstrong*, *Victor A. Bolsius*, *Jim Engerson*, *Irwin Lester*, Company D; Quartermaster Sergeant *Charles E. Irwin*, Privates *Sidney E. Adamson*, *E. L. Bush*, *John W. Dorsey*, *Sam W. Goode*, *H. E. Harris*, *W. Boykin Maffett*, *Henry L. Mershon*, *Reggie Richards*, *James Rodgers*, Company F; Corporal *Marcus M. Gholston*, Privates *Cicero C. Andrews*, *William L. Briant*, *Samuel J. Daniels*, *William J. Kinyon*, *Arthur J. Meacker*, *Fred G. Seagreaves*, *John B. Waldrupe*, Company G; *Robert Bagwell*, *Patrick Delaney*, *Charles Norwood*, *Milton L. Ritchey*, and *Howard A. Sigmond*, Company I, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Griffin, Georgia, and report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

2. Private *Edward Kirkland*, Company K, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now at Columbus, Georgia, is transferred to Company L, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Savannah, Georgia.

3. The following-named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *John C. Collins*, *John H. Waifred*, Company A, and *Thomas Tolbert*, Company G, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Griffin, Georgia, and directed to report to the commanding officer for duty.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Frank A. Gaddy*, Company B, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Macon, Georgia, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. He will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, chief signal officer, 1st Army Corps, at that station, for duty.

5. Trumpeter *E. H. Hunt*, Troop D, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry, now at San Antonio, Texas, is transferred to the 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry and will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

Inspector General

6. Private *Benjamin Rush*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is, upon his own application, transferred to Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel R. Jackson*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that station.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Patrick McDonough*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William N. Kenzie*, Hospital Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office as relates to Private *Patrick S. Hynes*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Abraham H. Cohen*, Troop K, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Langhorne Allen*, now at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, will be sent to Fort Walla Walla, Washington, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Christian Hammelef*, Company E, Battalion of Engineers, now at West Point, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Wal-tron*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the U. S. General Hospital.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Henry Braun*, Recruit Detachment, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry Sterly*, Company B, 14th U. S. Infantry, now at camp at Dyce, Alaska, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James P. Dunwoody*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Sullivans Island, South Carolina, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Sheldon H. Wishart*, Company B, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Julius S. Housah*, Company K, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William L. Lynch*, Company G, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, 145 Wells street, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Peter S. Lindholm*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, now at San Diego Barracks, California, will be sent, under the provisions of paragraph 155 of the Regulations, to Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, for medical treatment.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Paul Elchinger* (appointed November 15, 1898, from Sergeant, Battery L, 5th U. S. Artillery), now at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, is assigned to duty at that post.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 50, Special Orders, No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Oscar Le Seure*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked, and he will return from the Sternberg U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, to his home, Detroit, Michigan, and report thence by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the President, Major *Oscar Le Seure*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 20, 1898, his services being no longer required.

25. The following-named enlisted men, now at Macon, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers:

Privates *H. R. Lunsford*, Company A; *R. M. Bush* and *Robert M. Rivers*, Company B; *Louis Sholl*, Company D; *S. K. Hallister* and *Richard Norman*, Company G; *T. C. Christian*, Company I, and *George W. Cooper*, Company K, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be directed to report to the commanding officer, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, at that station for duty.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *W. T. Faver*, Company I, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Macon, Georgia, is transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, and will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for duty.

27. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Louis B. Washburne*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 256, paragraph 36, October 29, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days.

28. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Chaplain *J. Spencer Voorhees*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in

Special Orders, No. 146, October 18, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *John G. Loranger* and *John Ryan, jr.*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tennessee, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. They will be directed to report to 1st Lieutenant *A. G. Thompson*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that camp, for duty.

30. The following-named enlisted men, now at San Antonio, Texas, are transferred to the 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Savannah, Georgia:

Privates *Albert S. Cooper*, *Charles W. Cochran*, and *Thomas A. Hall*, Troop A, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

31. The following-named enlisted men, now at Indianapolis, Indiana, are transferred as privates to the 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *Frederick A. Berry*, *George H. Gifford*, *Michael Hamm*, *Andy Ruth*, Company A; *Charles J. Driscoll*, Company D; *William C. Reininga*, *Benjamin F. Warren*, *Walter G. Wolfe*, Company E; *Albert E. Kelly*, Company F; *Harry O. Evans*, *Otto King*, *Shirman B. Swartwood*, Company G; Corporals *Porley A. Miller*, *Reverdy J. Miller*, Musician *Charles W. Brownscombe*, Privates *Wesley M. Ray*, *Karl Slageter*, *Harry Sthair*, *James K. Whitaker*, Company H; Corporal *Albert C. Parke*, Privates *Robert F. Baxley*, *Edward H. Hogue*, *Clarence A. Mulone*, *Fred B. Newsum*, *Floyd W. Robinson*, *Jesse A. Rogers*, *George W. Turnage*, Company K; Corporals *James McCrisaken*, *Edward C. Vieke*, Privates *Louis N. Bouchie*, *John C. Burke*, *John Hatcher*, *Nelson Norton*, and *Charles Soden*, Company L, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Savannah, Georgia, and directed to report to the commanding officer.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Sergeant *Frank L. Davies*, Company M, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

33. Sergeant *John Keogan* and Private *Emery Williams*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 198, November 18, 1898, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will

return to that station with permission to delay five days *en route*.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, the board of officers convened at Governors Island, New York City, by paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 129, June 2, 1898, from this office, for the examination of officers to determine their fitness for promotion, is dissolved, to take effect upon the completion by the board of the examinations of such officers as have been ordered before it.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet at the call of the president thereof at Governors Island, New York City, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Lieutenant Colonel *Tully McCrea*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

Lieutenant Colonel *John N. Coe*, 13th U. S. Infantry;

Major *James P. Kimball*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *John R. Myrick*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Albert C. Blunt*, 5th U. S. Artillery, recorder.

Such journeys as may be required of the members between their stations and Governors Island and return in attending the meetings of the board are necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 31, Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, as directs 2d Lieutenant *Louis H. Bash*, 13th U. S. Infantry, to report for examination for promotion before the board at Madison Barracks, New York, is revoked.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Louis H. Bash*, 13th U. S. Infantry, will report in person without delay to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 274, November 19, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

38. The leave of absence heretofore granted on account of

sickness to 1st Lieutenant *John T. Fuller*, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is extended to November 23, 1898, on account of sickness.

39. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *David H. Gildersleeve*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 263, November 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *John G. Livingston*, Quartermaster, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 270, November 15, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Robert M. Rogers*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to Portland Head, Maine, for duty with his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Walter H. Gordon*, 18th U. S. Infantry, will, upon his muster out as Colonel, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, proceed to join the 18th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 37, Special Orders, No. 271, November 16, 1898, from this office, as directs 2d Lieutenant *Edwin Landon*, 2d U. S. Artillery, to proceed to Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to Portland Head, Maine, and join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John L. Chamberlain*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as chief ordnance officer, 1st Division, 7th Army Corps.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Godfrey H. Macdonald*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as ordnance officer of the 1st Division of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, November 18, 1898.*

The proceedings of the general court-martial published in Special Orders, No. 10, Headquarters Department of Porto Rico, San Juan, October 27, 1898, in the case of Private *B. J. McNally*, Company H, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having been found to be illegal, the sentence in the case is declared to be void and is hereby set aside.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 257, October 31, 1898, from this office, as relates to 2d Lieutenant *John H. Rice*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to join his troop upon the completion of his examination for transfer to the Ordnance Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. The journey from New York City, New York, to Trenton, Tennessee, under instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army of November 17, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. J. Freeman*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Eugene O. Fechét*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, disbursing officer, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and carry out such special instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, special inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed from this city to New York City, Hempstead, Montauk Point, and Fort Hamilton, New York; Niantic, Connecticut, and Sea Girt, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department and inspect such unserviceable quartermaster's property as may be submitted to him at the places named, and for this purpose he is appointed inspector under paragraph 878, Army Regulations. Upon the completion of this duty, Colonel *Wheeler* will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. Second Lieutenant *Howard G. Young*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, having reported to the Adjutant General of the Army, will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to his regimental commander for assign-

ment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Henry M. Duffield*, U. S. Volunteers, will repair to this city for consultation with the Secretary. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. Leave of absence for seven days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Arthur W. Yates*, 9th U. S. Infantry.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ira C. Brown*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Plum Island, Massachusetts, on official business pertaining to the selection of a site for a hospital on that island, and upon completion of this duty will return at once to this city. The Travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *R. Emmett Giffin*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, having completed the duty for which he was ordered to this city, will return at once to his station at Chickamauga Park, Georgia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. First Lieutenant *William T. Wilder*, 25th U. S. Infantry (now Major, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry), will proceed on January 3, 1899, to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. The journey from Asheville, North Carolina, to Atlanta, Georgia, under telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army of August 1, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. C. Starnes*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *Samuel P. Cottrell* and *James G. McKay*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation by first steamer sailing for Santiago, Cuba, and on arrival there will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Chaplain *Charles M. Hancock*, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, having ten-

dered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect November 20, 1898.

60. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Bret H. Cockett*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 154, October 26, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Alvar G. Thompson*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Macon to Augusta, Georgia, and report in person to the chief signal officer, 2d Army Corps, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Howard D. Coe*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Augusta to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the chief signal officer, 1st Army Corps, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 269, November 14, 1898, from this office, relating to Lieutenant Colonel *John B. Bellinger*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Quartermaster's Department are ordered:

Lieutenant Colonel *George E. Pond*, Chief Quartermaster, 7th Army Corps, now at Savannah, Georgia, in addition to his present duties will temporarily assume charge under the direction of the Quartermaster General of the Army until the arrival of Lieutenant Colonel *John B. Bellinger*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of the duties of Purchasing, Issuing, and Shipping Quartermaster at that place, to relieve Captain *Chauncey B. Baker*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Captain *Baker*, on being so relieved, will proceed at once to Port Tampa, Florida, and take the Plant Steamship Company's steamer sailing from that place November 21, 1898, to Havana, Cuba, where, on arrival, he will report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops for assignment to duty under the direction of Brigadier General *Charles F. Humphrey*, U. S. Volunteers, Chief Quartermaster:

Lieutenant Colonel *John B. Bellinger*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in addition to his present duties, will proceed at once to Savannah, Georgia, and assume charge, under the direction of the Quartermaster General of the Army of the

duties of Purchasing, Issuing, and Shipping Quartermaster at that place, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *George E. Pond*, Chief Quartermaster, 7th Army Corps, of those duties.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

Captain *William C. Manning*, from the 23d U. S. Infantry to the 14th U. S. Infantry, Company L;

Captain *William H. Sage*, from the 14th U. S. Infantry to the 23d U. S. Infantry, Company K.

66. Second Lieutenant *Percy M. Cochran*, 7th U. S. Infantry, now in U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. Leave of absence for four days is granted 2d Lieutenant *Percy M. Cochran*, 7th U. S. Infantry.

68. Leave of absence for three days to take effect November 23, 1898, is granted Captain *Frederick W. Hyde*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteer.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Sterling P. Adams*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, will report in person, upon the completion of the duty for which he was ordered to Fort Riley, Kansas, to Major *Egon A. Koerper*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will proceed to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Hospital Steward *Max Werner*, now at Fort Columbus, New York, to Fort Apache, Arizona Territory. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

Hospital Steward *Milton T. Esterly*, now at Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, to Macon, Georgia. He will be sent to that station and will report upon his arrival to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for duty.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Kenner T. Stewart*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Delphi, Indiana, will be discharged the service

of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, discharging Lieutenant Colonel *Francis G. Caffry*, 3d Alabama Volunteer Infantry, on tender of his resignation, is corrected so as to read "Lieutenant Colonel *Francis G. Caffey*, 3d Alabama Volunteer Infantry."

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. A. Dunwody*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Brunswick, Georgia, to this city, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George J. Newgarden*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, when the 2d Artillery embarks for Cuba will proceed from Savannah, Georgia, to his proper station, Fort Adams, Rhode Island. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

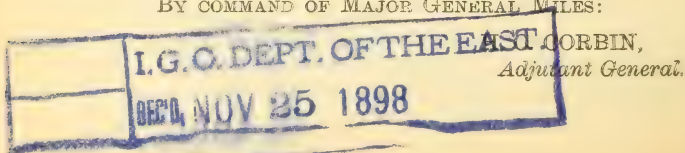
75. The following named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Griffin, Georgia:

Privates *John C. Collins*, *Charles F. Askin*, and *Henry F. Hilderbrand*, Company A, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

76. Corporal *C. P. Nicholas*, Company —, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Macon, Georgia, is transferred as a private to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Santiago, Cuba.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, to date September 13, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant Major *William A. Kent*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 275. } Washington, November 21, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Arthur L. Brattain*, 1st Troop, Utah Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Richard M. Gibson*, Company L, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ralph W. M. Shauman*, Company E, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *James Barron*, Company B, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed.

Corporal *Bert L. Rhodes*, Company D, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Arthur E. Huntley* and Private *Harry Watkins*, Company H, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

Inspector General

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *H. Granville Bush*, Troop D, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Gus M. Brass, jr.*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *A. Leon Reddick*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John N. Wicklein*, Company H, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Louis Wetteraner*, Company C, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations these soldiers are not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished them.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Hiram W. Chapman*, 4th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed.

This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

10. Leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *Charles L. Mueller*, assistant surgeon, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

11. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *David C. Peyton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in addition to his present duties, will assume supervision of the sick in the following hospitals in the State of Pennsylvania, for the purpose of sending acting hospital stewards to visit them and complete the military records: Chester County Hospital, West Chester; St. Joseph's Hospital and Lancaster General Hospital, Lancaster; Reading Hospital and St. Joseph's Hospital, Reading; Good Samaritan Hospital and Lebanon Hospital, Lebanon; Harrisburg Hospital and St. Clare Infirmary, Harrisburg; York Hospital, York; Charity Hospital, Norristown; Pottstown Hospital, Pottstown; Pottsville Hospital, Pottsville, and Columbia Hospital, Columbia.

12. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *John W. Daniel, jr.*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is extended ten days.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry M. Hill, jr.*, Troop G, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, No. 3010 Laclede avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 85, Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Arthur G. Richardson*, Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, is amended to read, now at Savannah, Georgia, instead of "Fort Riley, Kansas."

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Privates *Harry B. Slavin*, *Alexander W. Nichols*, and *Fred Smith*, Ordnance Detachment, now at Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, will be sent to Columbia Arsenal, Tennessee. They will report upon arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 71, Special Orders, No. 269, November 14, 1898, from this office, relating to Sergeant *Allan Lefort*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

17. Artificer *Charles E. Griswold*, Company K, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred

as private to Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John D. Romine*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to Company K, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, at that station.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *David McMullen*, Company K, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be sick in Newport Hospital, Newport, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *Charles Abel* (appointed November 18, 1898, from Sergeant, Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry,) now at Fort Riley, Kansas, to Fort St. Philip, Louisiana. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty;

Commissary Sergeant *Charlie Redling* (appointed November 18, 1898, from Quartermaster Sergeant, Troop C, 8th U. S. Cavalry), now at Tybee Island, Georgia, to Jackson Barracks, Louisiana. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

Commissary Sergeant *John J. O'Keefe* (appointed November 18, 1898, from Sergeant Major, 6th U. S. Artillery), now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, to Puerto Principe, Cuba. He will be sent to that station and will, upon his arrival, report to the commanding officer for duty.

Commissary Sergeant *Theodore F. Derrick* (appointed November 18, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company H, 10th U. S. Infantry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Havana, Cuba. He will be sent to that station and will report upon arrival there to Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Willets*, Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be on sick furlough at Egg Harbor City, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United

States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James M. Wool*, Astor Battery, U. S. Army, now at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Sutherland*, Hospital Corps, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, having relinquished the unexpired portion of furlough granted him from the Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is transferred to the hospital where he is now stationed and will report to the surgeon in charge there for duty.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert C. Milburn*, Company B, 13th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Columbus, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Harrison Carter Myers*, Privates *Hill Beasley*, *Theophilus A. Field*, *H. Floyd Hatch*, and *Asa D. Rogers*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Thomas A. Edwards* and *Henry T. Phelps*, Troop I, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Gottlieb Schutz*, Company D, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John W. Valentine*, Company B, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Albert N. Mathis*, Company A; Sergeants *Guy H. Evans*, Company F; *F. C. Hall*; Privates *T. M. Whited*, Company G, and *Buster McMahon*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Jackson*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfredo Flores*, Company L, 18th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Archibald Campbell*, 3d U. S. Artillery.

31. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Lawrence W. H. Peyton*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

32. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Cushman A. Rice*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 120, October 18, 1898, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

33. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *G. H. Clark*, Adjutant, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 256, paragraph 52, October 29, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

34. The sick leave of absence granted Chaplain *Tell. A. Turner*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 133, October 5, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Frederick I. Hubbard*, Company D; *Pitt Morris*, Company K; *Jesse P. Shore*, Company L, and *Hallick Stange*, Company M, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Charles J. Welford*, Company M, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Buckelew*, Company F, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at his home in Birmingham, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Collins T. McArdle*, Company A, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Harvey L. James*, Company H, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ira J. Haynes*, Hospital Corps, now at the Leiter General Hospital, Chickamauga National Park, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas E. Little*, Company G, 25th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at No. 170 Summer street, Wentworth Build-

ing, Boston, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Arthur B. Murphy*, Company L, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Brady, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John L. Gaither*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert W. Carpenter*, Company F, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Division Hospital, Mayaguez, Porto Rico, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Maurice G. Bell*, Troop L, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *William J. Snyder*, Troop H, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Florent Hoffer*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *John Golas*, Troop H, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *William Jones*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Frank Mayes, jr.*, Troop I, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *George A. Check*, Company B; *George C. Simon*, Company D; *Charles F. Brown*, Company H, and *George Lemon*, Company M, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *Ole Eye, August Faust, Frank M. Perry, Edward H. Sammons, James Wilkes, and Charles West*, Company B, and *Joseph A. Phelps*, Company H, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Lee Mansker*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *Robert E. Johnson*, Company B, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Ringgold, Texas;

Privates *Harry L. Williams*, Company C; *Edmond S. Young*, Company E, and *William N. Gromer*, Company I, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *John Allen, Herman F. C. Alpermann, and Clark M. Williamson*, Company E, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *William A. Cartan*, Company A, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York;

Private *Elbert Williams*, Band, 24th U. S. Infantry, Fort Douglas, Utah;

Private *Lucien F. Hiorns*, Hospital Corps, Fort Columbus, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Donald C. Scofield*, Company B, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *A. B. Cohen*, Company F, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *William Kiernan*, Company E, and Artificer *Peter Kruse*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 1, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Conde R. Charlton*, Company E, and 1st Sergeant *Richard W. Burrage*, Company C, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Ashton W. Gray*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *T. B. Thrash*, Company H, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph W. Stevens*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Hugh W. Buchanan*, Company G, Privates *Washington L. Brooks*, *L. W. Blaine*, and *Frank N. Mitchell*, Company F, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *B. Randolph Reid*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Grant A. Miller*, Company I, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Alexander P. Gillen*, Company L, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *John F. McGrann*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *E. M. Jobson*, Company A, and *C. E. Hall*, Company G, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Howard Burchill*, Company E, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Holmer B. Haile* and *Cyrus Alvin Kitchen*, Com-

pany B; *Walter R. Anderson* and *Henry A. Passer*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Stanley M. Billups*, Troop I, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *W. J. Hannah*, Company I, 1st Montana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John E. Feeney*, Company B, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *R. M. Whyte*, Company A, 13th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

53. By direction of the President, paragraph 82, Special Orders, No. 272, November 17, 1898, from this office, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

54. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Walter Kirkpatrick Brice*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on tender of his resignation, to take effect January 1, 1899.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Henry F. Randle*, Company I, and *W. A. Harrison*, Company —, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joe B. Perkins*, Troop B, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Sergeant *Harry T. Smoot*, Company H, 1st U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Lee Chatham* and *W. W. Sammons*, Company A; Quartermaster Sergeant *James H. King*, Sergeant *Richard C. Hosty*, Corporals *George F. Owens*, *Clinton W. Vidor*, Privates *Martin Gallagher*, *Carl L. Heine*, *Carroll H. Irwin*, *John P. Mayer*, and *Robert G. Murray*, Company B; Artificer *Kirtley Booton*, and Private *Walker Powell*, Company C; Musician *Curtis P. Kitchen*, Privates *James S. Cox*, *Henry Denman*, *Alexander E. Fleming*, *R. Albert Fones*, *Hugo C. Nicolai*, *Charles B. Stafford*, *Ketz L. Wallace*, and *Nathan P. Ward, jr.*, Company D; *Blaine De Armond* and *Graves De Armond*, Company E; Corporals *Neil Trumbull*, Company F; *W. F. Foster*, Company G; 1st Sergeant *Thomas M. Dupuy*, Sergeant *Fritz Schroeder*, Corporals *John Studeman*, *Robert P. Thomas*, and *Ed L. Wharton*, Musician *William Weber*, Privates *Torbot M. Baughman*, *Ike A. Havalson*, *James J. Hazlewood*, and *John N. Schubert*, Company H, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Isidore Rosentrauch*, Company F, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to New York City, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lloyd Ford*, Company H, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Manley Grinnan*, Company I, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First-class Sergeant *J. W. Weed*, 6th Company, and Private *Edeil W. Smith*, 11th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Ransler R. Rapp*, Company F, and *Fred Behrens*, Company L, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Raymond K. Tongue*, Company C, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Will F. Jenkins*, Company M, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the

United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Harry Southern*, *Walter Cummings*, *Charles E. Griggs*, Company C; *Joseph E. DeVerse*, Company F, and *James E. Felio*, Company L, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Daniel P. Wells*, Battery A, Utah Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Joseph J. Arnold* and *August Shultes*, Company A; Corporal *Peter J. McGrath*, Privates *Ad H. Wycoff*, Company E; *Harry S. Spaulding* and *William D. Warren*, Company G; *Edward Walmsley* and *George F. Hislop*, Company H, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *R. E. Jones*, Troop G, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry; Sergeants *Willie H. Boyles* and *Edwin Cooke*, Company B, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George C. Smith*, Company —, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Marshall C. Pennebaker*, Company A, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles T. Ramey*, Company C, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Anthony Johnson*, Company B, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frederick J. Bartel*, Company D, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeants *John A. Carroll*, *Anton Martin*, *John Sorge*, Corporals *Matthias J. Backer*, *George Prewett, jr.*, Privates *Joseph H. Brennan*, *Jacob Hammler*, *Michael C. F. Gernandt*, and *John J. Osborn*, Company E, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John J. Gernon*, Company B, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Charles McGorvin*, Company F, and Private *William X. Martin*, Company H, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George W. Russell*, Company D, and Private *Wright A. Fields*, Company M, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry C. Williamson*, Company D, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

First-class Sergeant *Michael F. Owens* and Sergeant *Anton E. Sauter*, 2d Company U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Corporal *Samuel A. Steele, jr.*, Privates *Harry D. Hall*, Company A; *Frederick Lewis*, Company B; Sergeant *John H. McConnell*, Privates *Harry Jobb* and *Thomas Wylie*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George W. Thompson*, Company E; Corporal *Thomas C. McCoy*, Private *Charles A. Atwell*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William I. Kelly*, Company F, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Harry M. Goodwin*, Troop D, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Corporal *Warner Hines*, Company B, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Thomas W. Hall*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Lawrence P. Butler*, Company C, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry M. Thuma*, Company B, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Fred K. Wardell*, Company B, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Alfred G. Stone*, Company D, and Corporal *Robert Burns*, Company L, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frederick H. Dougherty*, Company G, and Sergeant *Frank E. Finnegan*, Company M, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *James A. Sheehan*, Company D, and Private *Andrew C. McCauley*, Company I, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *F. C. Speicher*, Company A; Private *Harry P. Wescott*, Company B, and Corporal *Charles W. Rhodes, jr.*, Company E, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *F. H. Palmer*, Company C; 1st Sergeant *Alonzo Sims, jr.*, Company G, Private *Thomas Wall*, Company H; Sergeant *Thomas C. Lovett*, Company L, and Private *William N. Johnson*, Company M, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

69. The extension of leave of absence granted Colonel *V. Y. Cook*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 231, paragraph 55, September 30, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month.

70. The extension of leave of absence granted Chaplain *Frank Stringfellow*, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 137, October 21, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is further extended seven days.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Casper H. Conrad, jr.*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 221, September 19, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

72. Leave of absence for three months is granted 2d Lieutenant *Arthur W. Chase*, 2d U. S. Artillery.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank D. Ely*, 9th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles P. Russ*, Adjutant, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Arthur M. Dunn*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having performed the duty assigned to him in Special Orders, No. 268, paragraph 72, November 12, 1898, from this office, is relieved from temporary duty, Headquarters, Department of the Gulf, and will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, by first available steamer, and report to the commanding officer of his regiment for assignment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James E. Macklin*, 11th U. S. Infantry, will, upon the completion of his duties at Mobile, Alabama, as directed in Special Orders, No. 110, current series, Headquarters, 11th U. S. Infantry, which have been approved by the Secretary of War, repair to this city and report in person, for conference, to the Quartermaster General of the Army, and then proceed *via* New York City to his proper station in Porto Rico. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert McCleave*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 227, September 26, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

78. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Argalus G. Hennissee*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 225, September 23, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Lieutenant

Colonel *Peter D. Vroom*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 27, October 11, 1898, Headquarters, U. S. troops in Puerto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Ralph L. Taylor*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Rafael Echeverria*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, now on duty with the 8th U. S. Cavalry at Huntsville, Alabama, will report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, at that place, for assignment to duty.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Brigadier General *Emerson H. Lisicum*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry Page*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in addition to his duties as Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Nuevitas, Cuba, is assigned to duty as Depot Commissary at Puerto Principe, Cuba.

84. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *Robert L. Miller*, Company I, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Raymond R. Moore*, Company C, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *H. J. Brennan*, Company A; *David O. Peeler*, Company E, and *Julius Amann*, Company G, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Gardner Cornett*, Company B, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Anson B. Yeager*, Company D, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *E. A. Atlee*, Troop K, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *F. O. Middough*, Company B, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry W. Easton*, Company D, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jacob B. Ledbetter*, Company H, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Dan V. Edwards*, Company D, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Eugene H. Severs*, Company F, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Dene H. Coleman* and Private *Harmon Roy Johnson*, Company B, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lorenzo Parker*, Company G, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Frank D. Bishop*, Company E, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Herbert A. Starr*, Company B, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Augustus Shingleur*, Company E, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Leigh S. Norris*, Company C, and *William E. Eberhardt*, Company D, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

85. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Chauncey I. Tracey*, Company K, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Abraham Musser*, Company A, and Corporal *Edward H. Wert*, Company D, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *John K. Scherger*, Company G, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Isadore V. McGowan*, Company D, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Joseph W. Cooper*, Company D, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Leon G. Barnett*, Company B, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Sheldon Morris Durbin*, Company L, and Chief Musician *Anthony A. Montanni*, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Vernon B. Rollins*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George E. Mills*, Company D, and Sergeant *Dallas G. Young*, Company G, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Carl E. Gosline*, Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Robert A. Baird*, Company M, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeants *J. C. Otterholm* and *Edward R. McFarland*, Privates *Neil Hume*, *Fred H. Stephens*, *James E. Kevil*, 6th Company; *James Disney*, 11th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Sergeant *Edmund P. Landers*, Company G, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

86. The travel from Nuevitas to Puerto Principe, Cuba, October 22, 1898, performed by Major *Henry Page*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is approved by the Secretary of War, as having been necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry Page*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will make not to exceed six journeys each month from Nuevitas to Puerto Principe, Cuba, on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ira MacNutt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed six visits from the Bethlehem Iron Works, South Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, to the works of the Taylor Iron and Steel Company, Highbridge, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the inspection of projectiles, and on com-

pletion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, the transfer by the President, October 31, 1898, of 2d Lieutenant *Conrad S. Babcock*, from the 6th U. S. Artillery, to the 1st U. S. Cavalry, Troop C, with rank in the Cavalry arm from September 27, 1898, is announced.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *B. C. Woodall*, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect December 1, 1898.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John M. Sigworth*, 9th U. S. Infantry, is detailed as recorder of the examining board appointed to meet at Madison Barracks, New York, by Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, *vice* 1st Lieutenant *Joseph Frazier*, 9th U. S. Infantry, who is hereby relieved.

92. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Leon P. Foster*, Company G, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Richard Gwathmey*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Robert Allen*, Company B, 9th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Walter Wise*, *Malcolm M. McConaughy*, Privates *Frederick G. Miller*, *Richard Hilgard*, *William C. Boneau*, and *Eugene Hay*, Company D, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *John McKinnon*, Company H; *Earl C. Fisher* and *Clarence E. Nissly*, Company L, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Howard W. Jackson*, *Michael Mallon*, Company B, *Edward Beakes, jr.*, *John J. Flint*, *John J. Reilly*, *Joseph Stier*, Company C; *Dan J. Donovan*, *George L. Openshaw*, Company D; *Henry Fox*, *James A. Lynch*, *George White*,

Company E; *Andrew J. Corcoran, John F. Nugent, John J. Sullivan, John C. Van Slyke, William N. Van Slyke, and Alfred B. Pote*, Company I, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

93. First Lieutenant *David J. Baker, jr.*, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at St. Louis, Missouri, will, when able to travel, proceed to Fort Riley, Kansas, and join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

94. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Thomas L. A. Shaffer*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will report for duty to the surgeon in charge there not later than the 25th instant.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

95. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Henry D. Borup*, Chief Ordnance Officer, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as chief ordnance officer at Santiago de Cuba, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

96. By direction of the Secretary of War, under instructions from the President, Major General *Matthew C. Butler*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Secretary of War for temporary duty, and on completion thereof will return to Havana, Cuba, and resume his duties with the Commission for the Evacuation of Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

97. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Benjamin Alvord*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

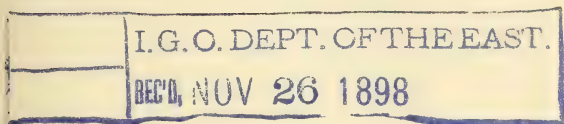
98. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Sergeant *Samuel T. Aber*, 3d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Laclede, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

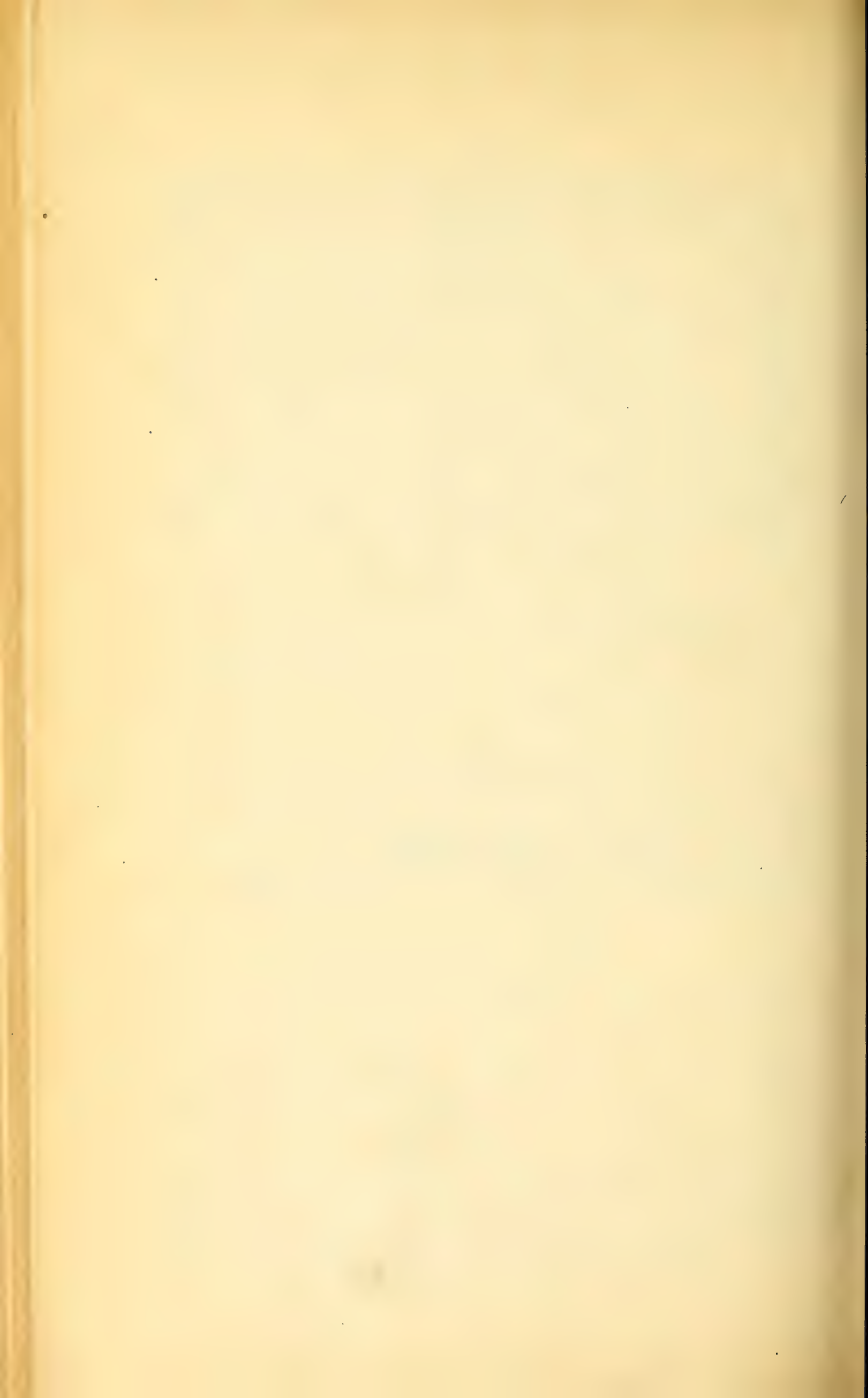
99. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Gus Williams*, Hospital Corps, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

100. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 46, Special Orders, No. 271, November 16, 1898, from this office, which orders the transfer of Private *John E. Garrity*, Company C, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is amended to direct his transfer to date from June 22, 1898, in order to correct his record in view of the fact that the soldier was attached to the Volunteer Signal Corps on that date, and has served continuously therewith under the impression that he had been regularly transferred.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 No. 276. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
 Washington, November 22, 1898.

1. Private *Glasgo Riggle*, Battery E, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Mason, California, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, the Presidio of San Francisco, California. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 55, Special Orders, No. 264, November 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Corporal *Charles B. Smith*, Company B, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Chickamauga, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John Scott*, Musician *Lee P. Bellmore*, Company B; Privates *Alfred Duncan*, *John Flewellyn*, *John Ganet*, Company C; *James L. Smith*, *Thomas Cunningham*, *George Roberts*, Company D; *Esau Fleming*, *Arthur Gibson*, *William Skye*, *Jackson Townsend*, Company F; *William Clue*, *Richard Sollerwhite*, *Abe Cotton*, Company H; *Benjamin Turner*, Company I; *Thomas Greene*, Company K; *Anthony Amos*, *John A. Dehoney*, Company L; *Claud L. Johnson* and *David Jackson*, Company M, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Chickamauga, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *William Hansbury*, Company B; *William Brown*, Company C; *John Henderson*, Company D; *Fay Jennings*, *Henry Silvertooth*, Company F; *Edward Harris*, *Peter Judd*, Company H; *Robert Lawson*, Company I; *Jackson Williams*, *Matthew Onear*, Company K; *Henry Jones* and *Robert Haines*, Company L, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

Inspector General

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 50, Special Orders, No. 270, November 15, 1898, from this office, relating to Privates *Elmer M. Baumgartner*, *Charles W. Dern*, Company C; *Harry W. Shaw*, Company H; Corporal *Harold F. Gasser*, Company M, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and Corporal *John G. Leoranger*, Company L, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Macon, Georgia, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps:

Privates *Elmer W. Baumgartner*, Company C, *Charles W. Dern*, Company G, *Harry W. Shaw*, Company H, and *Harold F. Gasser*, Company M, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

They will be directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, signal officer, 1st Army Corps, at that station, for duty.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 259, November 2, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank Carroll*, Troop H, 10th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office as relates to Private *William A. Sargent*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, is revoked.

9. Private *Howard A. Stram*, Company H, 1st U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Porter, New York, is transferred to Company H, 13th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

10. Private *Shelby L. Rucker*, Troop K, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, stationed at that post.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Harry G. Morse*, Signal Corps, now at Headquarters, Department of the East, Governors Island, New York, is transferred to Company H, 16th U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the station of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

12. Private *Jacob F. Willis*, Company G, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is, upon his own application,

transferred to the 5th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to Fort Hamilton, New York, for assignment to a battery stationed at that post. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Daly*, Troop G, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now in San Juan, Porto Rico, is transferred to the 19th U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment for assignment to a company.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richard H. McComyn*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Elzer M. Oury*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, now a patient in the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is transferred to that hospital. Upon the receipt of this order at that station the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Warren E. Hunt*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benjamin F. Kelley*, Hospital Corps, now at Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that station.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *William E. Cook* and *Louis L. Gage*, Reserve Ambulance Company, 2d Army Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at their home, Logan, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station, Augusta, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldiers. These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto Koenig*, Astor Battery, Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the com-

manding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Will Houghton*, Troop I, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Simpson*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, now at Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

22. Wagoner *Andrew Bratz*, Troop C, 7th U. S. Cavalry, will, upon arrival of that regiment in Cuba, be transferred as private to Troop I, 8th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Nuevitas, Cuba.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles E. Schneider*, Battery B, 5th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be sick in the U. S. General Hospital at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *Charles Van Horn*, Company C, 19th U. S. Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, 406 Oliver street, Owosso, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. Private *Henry S. Eymann*, Troop C, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop F, 2d U. S. Cavalry, at that station.

26. Private *Edwin Rogge*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that station.

27. Private *Daniel O'Leary*, unassigned, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, is transferred to Company I, 7th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Norton Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, having been examined by a board of officers and found physically disqualified for the duties of Major and surgeon, by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement by the President from active service as a Major, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, is announced, to date from August 23, 1898, the date he would have been promoted to that grade by reason of seniority, if found qualified. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles J. Fromberg*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

30. Second Lieutenant *William Neher*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now in U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will proceed as soon as practicable to Santiago, Cuba, and report to his regimental commander. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the President, Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, Quartermaster's Department (Lieutenant Colonel and Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army), is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War as Lieutenant Colonel and Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, only, to take effect November 10, 1898.

32. By direction of the President, Major *Frederick Bostwick*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to date November 22, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men of the 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed:

NONCOMMISSIONED STAFF.

Sergeant Major *John T. Kennedy* and Chief Trumpeter *Charles F. Jackson*.

TROOP A.

Quartermaster Sergeant *George R. Becker*, Sergeants *Ralph C. Nowland*, *Harry H. Miller*, Privates *Carlos M. Fuller*, *Harry Gilmore*, *Harry E. Gougar*, *Arthur Guire*, *Logan L. Hawkins*, *Jesse B. Hayes*, *Lewis C. King*, *Charles H. Lancaster*, *James N. Langworthy*, *Robert A. Martin*, *Joseph E. Moore*, *Charles S. Rolph*, *Elton E. Smith*, and *Earnest A. Weber*.

TROOP B.

Sergeants *Joseph S. Brown*, *Robert S. Brown*, *John R. Henderson*, and *Edward E. Vicary*, Corporals *Frank E. Estes* and *James C. Steele*, Farrier *George E. Dunn*, Privates *Arnold N. Alexander*, *Gerome B. Carr*, *Julian C. Clark*, *William Fulman*, *Abram S. Hershey*, *Charles Leonard*, *Karl E. Linderfelt*, *Thomas M. McAloney*, *Ivor L. McIntire*, *Frank A. Shaw*, *John C. Schultz*, *Harry B. Tedrow*, and *William W. Weiser*.

TROOP C.

First Sergeant *Charles W. Gilmore*, Sergeant *Charles K. Harrington*, Corporal *Fred C. Hecht*, Privates *James Barber*, *Alfred A. Benjamin*, *Arthur W. Chesebro*, *Jack Fee, jr.*, *Hugh A. Ferguson*, *Harry Griffin*, *Rasmus Hanson*, *Meredith Jones*, *Charles W. Maus*, and *John J. Schenek*.

TROOP D.

Sergeant *William A. Thompson*, Corporal *Charles Andrews*, Trumpeters *Phillippe P. Roche* and *George E. Sheets*, Privates *Frank Andrews*, *Fred L. Baxter*, *Charles E. Clegg*, *Albert C. Derand*, *Wilford Hopkins*, *Hugh McGuire*, *William W. Martin*, *Wallace Page*, *Horace G. Pope*, *Clarence M. Razor*, *Mathew D. Reese*, *Charles Sharkey*, *James M. Smout*, *John M. South*, and *Henry A. Trough*.

TROOP E.

Sergeant *Daniel Van Meter*, Corporals *Edward Anderson* and *Guy Campbell*, Trumpeter *Freeman L. Fox*, Privates *Guy R. Barton*, *Ross Bennett*, *Russell Conger*, *James W. Croghan*, *Frank Dooley*, *David Spits*, *Burl Robinett*, *Walter Robinson*, *Charles Ross*, *Wesley Leaming*, and *Robert C. Wilkerson*.

TROOP F.

First Sergeant *Frank Kidd*, Corporals *John E. O'Riley* and *Jacob L. Parrott*, Sadler *Lucious A. Place*, Privates *Ben Benz*, *Allison T. Davis*, *Edmund F. Ely*, *William Farley*, *Rufas E. Garner*, *Leo Leffler*, and *George G. Robinson*.

TROOP G.

Sergeants *Wallace B. Hodge*, *Robert Holland*, and *John G. Thornton*, Trumpeter *George E. Dorsey*, Farrier *Thomas E. De Nike*, Saddler *Samuel E. Bayles*, Privates *Frank Bodle*, *Albert W. Bristol*, *Elijah L. Brown*, *Alden Carpenter*, *John W. Embree*, *A. Delbert Flores*, *August Gronen*, *Lester B. Haley*, *Hans P. Hansen*, *William C. Hopkins*, *John F. Karling*, *John H. Latta*, *Rudolph R. Mayer*, *Elias O. Moore*, *Merion M. Moore*, *Richard H. Redmond*, and *Charles R. Thompson*.

TROOP H.

Sergeants *Richard Higbee* and *George W. Sisson*, Corporals *Daniel J. Callahan* and *Fred M. Wolff*, Trumpeter *Louis Stelzenberger*, Privates *Joseph M. Adams*, *Stuart M. Anderson*, *Ernest E. Brink*, *Albert Cariboni*, *William H. Childers*, *Chauncey Hurlburt*, *Thomas M. Hutchinson*, *Evan Jones*, *James Sherwood*, and *Julius Wolff*.

TROOP I.

First Sergeant *W. Archie McKay*, Quartermaster Sergeant *Joseph A. Young*, Sergeant *George R. Sproat*, Corporal *William C. Ritter*, Trumpeter *Erey R. Thompson*, Saddler *Alma C. Christensen*, Wagoner *James Kidney*, Privates *Orson Allred, jr.*, *Charles H. Bates*, *Jason R. Beebe*, *Clarence R. Drake*, *Harry Harris*, *Wilburn H. Harris*, *Charles C. W. Jaspersen*, *Newman A. Page*, *Jethro M. Rydalch*, *David Sanderson*, and *Frank R. Sheppard*.

TROOP K.

Sergeant *Robert W. Wanlace*, Farrier *Albert W. Reed*, Privates *Horace Evans*, *Frank M. Hewett*, *Anton Maybaum*, *Walter Merrill*, *Ford Roediger*, *Albert N. Sundberg*, *Lewis D. Scott*, and *Brydon F. Spencer*.

TROOP L.

• Sergeant *Acahel C. B. Lauder*, Corporals *Henry B. Dexter* and *James Walton*, Saddler *John L. Lee*, Privates *Byron C.*

De Lans, Norman E. Dempsey, Clifford W. Long, Joseph Lowham, Hiram Loveday, James O. Mansfield, Arthur V. Quinn, and Reuben A. Robinson.

TROOP M.

Sergeants *Paul R. Corgell, John J. Hill, and Alfred M. Karge*, Corporals *John C. Charles and Arthur E. Wallace*, Trumpeters *Walter B. Harrington and John L. Bryant*, Privates *James G. Barrett, Albert J. Butler, Walter W. Dunn, Elmer H. Duncan, Burt Harris, Joseph C. Harris, Bert Holm, Walter R. Jude, Samuel Krummer, Alvin D. Lynds, Robert E. Skaggs, and Charles Ross.*

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

34. Private *Willis J. Storke*, Company M, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Elmira, New York, is transferred to Troop C, New York Cavalry, to date July 23, 1898, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Brooklyn, New York.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer, San Francisco, California, of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Max J. Love*, Company A; *Guy Evans*, Company B; *Fred Clingersmith*, Company C; Sergeant *Maurice L. Curtis*, Privates *C. C. Maddy*, Company D; *Joel A. Windmiller*, Company F; *John H. Delmer*, *Joseph R. Murphy*, Company G; *John W. Heawilin*, *Percy H. Hess*, Company H; *Harve P. Canaday*, Company I; Corporal *Courtney H. Coffeen*, and Private *Harry B. Sackett*, Company L, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Rufus W. Shrader and Edwin P. Taylor*, and Privates *Albert G. Cayler and George A. Jackson*, Battery A, Wyoming Volunteer Artillery;

Privates *Frederick T. Thompson and Elias L. Wartman*, Troop A, 1st Nevada Volunteer Cavalry;

Principal Musician *Lynn L. Hilliker* and Privates *Owen L. McIntosh*, Band; *William F. Ayres and Mitchell Bundy*, Company A; *Benjamin F. Zimmerman*, Company B; *Thomas J. Bell and Maurice C. Sherman*, Company C; *John Gore and Surtees Ridley*, Company D; *Zachariah Donaldson*, Company

E; *Fred D. Peck* and *Carlos L. Matteson*, Company F, and *Allen B. Simmons*, Company K, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Henry B. Sweeney*, Privates *James M. Cook* and *Scipio H. Young*, Company C; *Allen L. Porter*, Company D; *Thomas J. Johnson*, *Ike A. Rains*, and *John R. Shelton*, Company E; *Carl H. Schlotter*, Company F, and *J. I. Finney*, Company G, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Chester G. Moore*, *Emile Ralston*, Battery A, *Leroy F. Lorraine*, and *William A. Unruh*, Battery D, California Heavy Artillery;

Corporal *George M. Tuttle*, Privates *William A. May*, *William W. Rolfe*, *James H. Pierce*, *William H. Young*, Company A; Corporal *Raymond Drake*, Musician *Claude W. Harkness*, Company E; Corporals *Ray W. Thompson*, Company F; *Tobey L. Henrichsen*, Private *Charles D. Tooley*, Company G, and Musician *Heber J. Matthews*, Company M, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Angel Island, California, of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Charles St. George*, Company A; Privates *Allen W. Mitchell*, *Spencer B. Paxton*, and *Lewis E. Rogers*, Company D; Corporal *Alonzo E. Fritch*, Privates *Edward B. McElroy* and *Frank West*, Company F; *Frank W. Meridith* and *Albert W. Potter*, Company G; Corporal *George W. Calkin* and Private *Frank Jones*, Company K, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Henry McKinney*, Company A; *Edward Lieurance*, *Frank E. McCoy*, Company E; *William E. Sexton*, Company G; Corporal *Raymond E. Elder*, Company K, and Private *Edward L. Miller*, Company M, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Lewis S. Floyd*, *W. Hugh Harris*, Band; *Thomas Goodall*, *John H. Gray*, *Fred L. Stewart*, *A. L. Windle, jr.*, *Harry A. Wynn*, Company A; *Nat C. Hickey*, Company B; *P. H. Farrell*, Company E; *Robert C. Wartham*, Company G; *Lawrence B. Nichols*, *Walter Walling*, Company K, and Sergeant *G. E. Fields*, Company L, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Peter M. Ganvreaux*, Company A; Privates *John W. Snoke* and *Charles E. Williams*, Company B; Corporal *Frederick A. Frazier*, Privates *Harvey H. Dyer*, *Wallace B. Taylor*, *Harry F. Woods*, and *Charles Young*, Company D; Artificer *Francis W. Boldman*, Privates *John C. Liner*, *Frank Ping*, and *Martin A. Wick*, Company F; *William L. Austin*, *Louis J. Brant*, and *Charles Simons*, Company G; Corporals *James J. Putman* and *Charles A. Swift*, Privates *Emmett C. Mitchell*, Company H; *Newton Nicholson* and *Frederick A. Ward*, Company I; Sergeants *J. W. Childs* and *Fred B. Slee*, Privates *John Smith*, Company L, and *William T. Harkins*, Company M, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Ezekiel Storie*, Troop A; Corporals *Harold L. Morris* and *George H. Kelly*, Troop B; Privates *William Craver* and *Dewitt Clary*, Troop C; *Lee W. Wyatt*, Troop D; Corporal *Frank C. Wells*, Troop F; Privates *Arthur Reece* and *Charles C. Langley*, Troop G; *William P. Kruger*, Troop H; *Lars Peterson*, Troop I; Trumpeter *William J. Faulkner*, Troop K; Privates *Olaf Naster*, Troop L; *Alexander Harris* and *Charles B. Ulen*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Albany, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *James F. Gibbons*, *George W. Holbrook*, *Henry J. Miller*, and *Walter J. Miller*, Company M, and *Francis M. Rolan*, Company D, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Albany, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *Harry H. Alexander*, Privates *Frank A. Chase* and *Benjamin T. Grimm*, Company A; Artificer *Hood Sikes*,

Company B; Corporals *Loyal L. Budworth* and *John Schriener*, Privates *Benjamin Darwin*, *Lucian G. Herd*, and *P. H. O'Neil*, Company C; *Richard Glaze*, *Hiram L. Payne*, and *James E. Schlitt*, Company D; Quartermaster Sergeant *William A. Smith*, Musicians *Lewis M. Kellogg* and *Edwin E. Matthes*, Artificer *Dwight Wheeler*, Wagoner *Richard Brown*, Privates *Harry S. Crowley*, *Edward McGuire*, *Pony B. Hubbard*, *Theron Leftwick*, and *Jason P. Rader*, Company E; *Asa B. Greenland*, Company F; Corporals *William S. Kreeger*, and *Jay F. Manning*, Privates *John Callaghan*, *Bank A. Dutcher*, *George D. Lindsay*, and *Patrick Miller*, Company G; *William L. Smith* and *Morris Tondorf*, Company H; *William E. Breedlove*, *Charles Harvey*, *Daniel W. Joyner*, *Ira B. Pearson*, *Bert A. Ray*, and *Joseph C. Williams*, Company I; Sergeant *Christopher Holzer*, Privates *Ray Crosby*, *Edward David*, *Clarence L. Gross*, *Edward Waldo*, *James W. Walker*, and *James W. Williams*, Company L; Corporal *William P. Myers* and Private *Harry O. Sweet*, Company M, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edward C. Carter*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, on completion of his duties pertaining to the closing of the Sternberg and Leiter U. S. General Hospitals, will proceed to this city and resume his duties as attending surgeon. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Benjamin Johnson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Lexington, Kentucky, to this city, and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for consultation, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. The leave of absence granted Captain *Charles J. Stevens*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 149, October 29, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month.

43. Leave of absence for one month is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Joshua W. Jacobs*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

44. Leave of absence for five days, to take effect November 22, 1898, is granted Major *Henry R. Brinkerhoff*, 3d U. S. Infantry.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Roy A. Wilson*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that place, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 25, Special Orders, No. 273, November 18, 1898, from this office, as relieves Captain *Luther R. Hare*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Texas, to take effect December 1, 1898, is amended so as to relieve him on the 21st inst. Captain *Hare* will join his proper command by December 1, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. The following transfers are made in the 9th U. S. Infantry:

Second Lieutenant *Harold Hammond*, from Company M to Company C;

Second Lieutenant *Easton R. Gibson*, from Company C to Company M.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John G. D. Knight*, Corps of Engineers, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, for service therewith during the illness of Major *Henry M. Adams*, Corps of Engineers, member of the board.

Such journeys as Major *Knight* may be required to make between his station and New York City and return in attending the meetings of the board are necessary for the public service.

49. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Harris L. Roberts*, 19th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 222, September 20, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

50. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas M. Corcoran*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 256, October 29, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

51. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Ward Cheney*, 4th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 113, October 31, 1898, Department of the Lakes, is extended one month on account of sickness.

52. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *William W. Fiscus*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 204, August 30, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

53. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *John F. Stretch*, 10th U. S. Infantry.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William W. Gilbert*, paymaster, U. S. Army, now on temporary duty in this city under verbal instructions from the Secretary of War, is assigned to duty with station in Washington, District of Columbia, to date from November 12, 1898.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William W. Gilbert*, paymaster, U. S. Army, accompanied by his authorized clerk, will proceed to Fort McHenry, Maryland, and assist Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, in the payment of troops at that post on muster of October 31, 1898, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 273, November 18, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Herbert J. Harris*, U. S. Army, is revoked.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 42, Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, as directs Major *Elmore F. Taggart*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, is so amended as to direct him to proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, *via* Fort Thomas, Kentucky. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Eben B. Fenton*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Cienfuegos, Cuba, will proceed at once, accompanied by his authorized clerk and the Commissary Sergeant on duty with him, to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Lieu-

tenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place, for duty as an assistant in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Samuel N. Bridgman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed with his authorized clerk from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, to Augusta, Georgia, and comply with paragraph 63, Special Orders, No. 259, November 2, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Merch B. Stewart*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 142, October 23, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 48, Special Orders, No. 273, November 18, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *Robert H. Patterson*, 1st U. S. Artillery, to assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Texas after December 1, 1898, is so amended as to direct him to assume such duties on the 21st inst.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederic W. Bubcock*, Hospital Corps, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter Goldsboro*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Post Chaplain *Sewell N. Pilchard*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days.

65. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Milton L. McGrew*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

66. Private *William B. Griffith*, Company I, 25th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Logar, Colorado, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop K, 9th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

67. Private *James Purcell*, Troop I, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop M, 8th U. S. Cavalry at that station.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War. Private *George Taylor*, Company K, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *F. H. Sheridan*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the recruiting station, No. 25 3d Avenue, New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William H. Dunn*, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Lewis C. Balch*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States as Major and surgeon, 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 2, 1898, on tender of resignation, by reason of his acceptance, on November 3, 1898, of his appointment as brigade surgeon.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Arthur Thompson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster at that place, for instructions and assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quartermaster's steamer "Mobile," and will proceed thence to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and join the steamer "Mobile"

at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

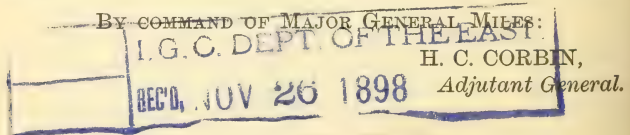
73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *M. A. Rebert*, U. S. Army, will proceed from York, Pennsylvania, to Manila, Philippine Islands, and on arrival there will report to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, having reported to the Surgeon General of the Army, in compliance with paragraph 81, Special Orders, No. 272, November 17, 1898, from this office, will proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and New York City, New York, on official business pertaining to the Medical Department of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to this city and report to the Surgeon General of the Army for orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph J. Schmidt*, Troop F, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now at Puerto Principe, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Guy P. Bennett*, Battery D, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at San Diego Barracks, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert H. Simpson*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough from Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 277. } Washington, November 23, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Stephen F. Burgoyne*, now on duty with Lieutenant *James M. Arrasmith*, 2d U. S. Infantry, Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will, when his services are no longer needed at that camp, be sent to Fort Logan, H. Roots, Arkansas. He will, upon his arrival at that post, report to the commanding officer for duty.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Royal E. Mathews*, Troop D, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Yates, North Dakota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. Paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *John J. Dougherty*, Company D, 1st U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Maguire*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, will be sent to Anniston, Alabama, and will report upon arrival at that station to the commanding general for duty.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Battalion of Engineers, now at Willets Point, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that station:

First-class Privates *Matthew T. Kenney* and *David Seymour*, and 2d Class Privates *John J. Cullen* and *Bryon E. Murphy*, Company B;

Second-class Privates *James J. Dunn*, *George F. Hoffacker*, *John T. McGovern*, and *Vinton S. Ridley*, Company C.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. Davis*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at 340 North Forty-second street, West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *John J. Nolan* and *Walter Bryon Richards*, Company K, 15th

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U. S. Infantry, now at Puerto Principe, Cuba, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Barney Leavy*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Patrick J. Neary*, Battery G, 5th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps and assigned to duty at that station.

10. Private *Boney Douglas*, Company G, 25th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, is transferred to Troop D, 9th U. S. Cavalry, stationed at that post.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Hospital Steward *Nicolas Lommel*, now at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory, to Santiago, Cuba;

Hospital Steward *Martin Rose*, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, to Santiago, Cuba.

The stewards thus transferred will be sent to the new station designated, and will report upon their arrival to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for duty.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Hospital Steward *Ernest L. Harris*, is revoked.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Ernest L. Harris*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be attached to the 6th U. S. Cavalry at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles L. Davis*, 11th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of North Carolina and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Albert Todd*, 6th U. S. Artillery, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of North Carolina.

16. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry W. Jenkins*, Quartermaster, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 36, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John Cummings*, Privates *P. B. Davis*, *W. O. Holloman*, *William C. McBride*, *G. H. McLin*, *John P. Powers*, and *I. J. Thompson*, Company M, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry B. Cook*, Company A, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John N. McCall*, Company A, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Benjamin Reinetz*, Company A, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *James Y. Carr* and *Lucien D. Carr*, Battery A, Missouri Volunteer Artillery;

Privates *Reuben R. Fries*, Company B; *John Fischer*, Company C; *Thomas Gorman*, Company D; Corporal *Adolph Vassen*; Privates *Charles De Wolf*, Company E; *Ray S. Carter*, Company H, and *Lawrence Slosson*, Company L, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *William T. Hogle* and *Charles O'Connor*, Company C, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Hugh S. Lewis*, Company D; Quartermaster Sergeant *Harry Hammerstein*, Privates *Harry Neiman*, Company K, and *William W. Overton*, Company L, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Daniel Walsh*, Company D, and 1st Sergeant *John O'Brien*, Company K, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William C. Lautner*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Charles A. Quinby*, Company G, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *William D. Riter*, Light Battery A, Utah Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *J. B. White*, Company C, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *C. E. Anthony*, Battery B, California Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *J. A. Winterbottom*, Privates *William Dixen*, *John R. Sands*, and *F. G. Thiele*, Hospital Corps, now at Willets Point, New York, will be sent to Macon, Georgia. They will report upon their arrival at that station to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for duty.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *John F. Newport*, Privates *James Kernan*, *Randall O'Brien*, *John R. Ryan*, and *Bernard W. Thompson*, Hospital Corps, now on temporary duty at Willets Point, New York, are assigned to duty at that post.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Freddie Seymour*, Company K, 16th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank L. Milward*, Troop C, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough at his home, Hancock, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898,

from this office, as relates to Private *William H. Jeffrey*, Hospital Corps, is revoked.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Jeffrey*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. Artificer *Franklin White*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Battery I, 3d U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Angel Island, California. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Joseph L. Parker*, Company G, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *John R. Loomis*, Company A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to New York City, New York, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, to date November 13, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Howard J. Blumer*, Company L, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Kenneth J. Griffin*, Company L, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now in Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date November 6, 1898, by their respective commanding officers:

Sergeant Major *Francis M. Blacklock*, Quartermaster Sergeant *Oman J. Auge*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers; Sergeants *George L. Taylor*, Company B; *Edward L. Pierce*, Company F, and *Robert C. Wigger*, Company M, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Macon, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers at that station:

Privates *J. A. Woods*, *Henry Jones*, and *J. E. Barclay*, Company D, 1st Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be directed to report to the commanding officer, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, for duty.

33. The following-named enlisted men, now at Indianapolis, Indiana, are transferred as privates to the 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry:

Private *Edward L. Dodd*, Company A; Musician *Chester A. Shearer*, Privates *Burton E. Burgan*, *Claude McGahan*, *Leo Secrist*, and *Charles K. Thompson*, Company B; *Earl McCoy*, Company C; Corporal *William T. McCafferty*, Privates *Charles R. Doane*, *Issac Harris*, *Harry Lee*, *William Maher*, and *Walter Westfall*, Company D; Sergeant *Cale K. Wheeler*, Privates *Gilbert D. Crain*, *John W. Hoskins*, *Earl Metlin*, and *John W. Trimble*, Company E; *John Hill*, Company F; *Isaac I. Miller*, Company G; *John H. Fedder* and *Gerald Talbot*, Company H; *J. L. Armstrong*, *Frederick A. Fritz*, *John F. Fritz*, and *Clyde Woods*, Company K; and *Don H. Cassell*, Company L, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of the 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles E. Rogers*, Company D, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

35. The journey from New York City, New York, to Ponce, Porto Rico, about August 24, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles J. Smyser*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

36. The journey from Ponce, Porto Rico, to Boston, Massachusetts, about November 8, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles J. Smyser*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. A. Dunwody*, U. S. Army, having reported to the Surgeon General of the Army, in compliance with orders, will proceed from this city to Cripple Creek, Colorado, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 64, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, as assigns Major *Marshall W. Wood*, surgeon, U. S. Army, to duty at Fort Douglas, Utah, is revoked, and he will proceed at once from Boise Barracks, Idaho, to San Francisco, California, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, for assignment to duty at Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Isaac Cline*, Hospital Corps, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Chaplain *George S. Sexton*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Frank U. Adams*, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

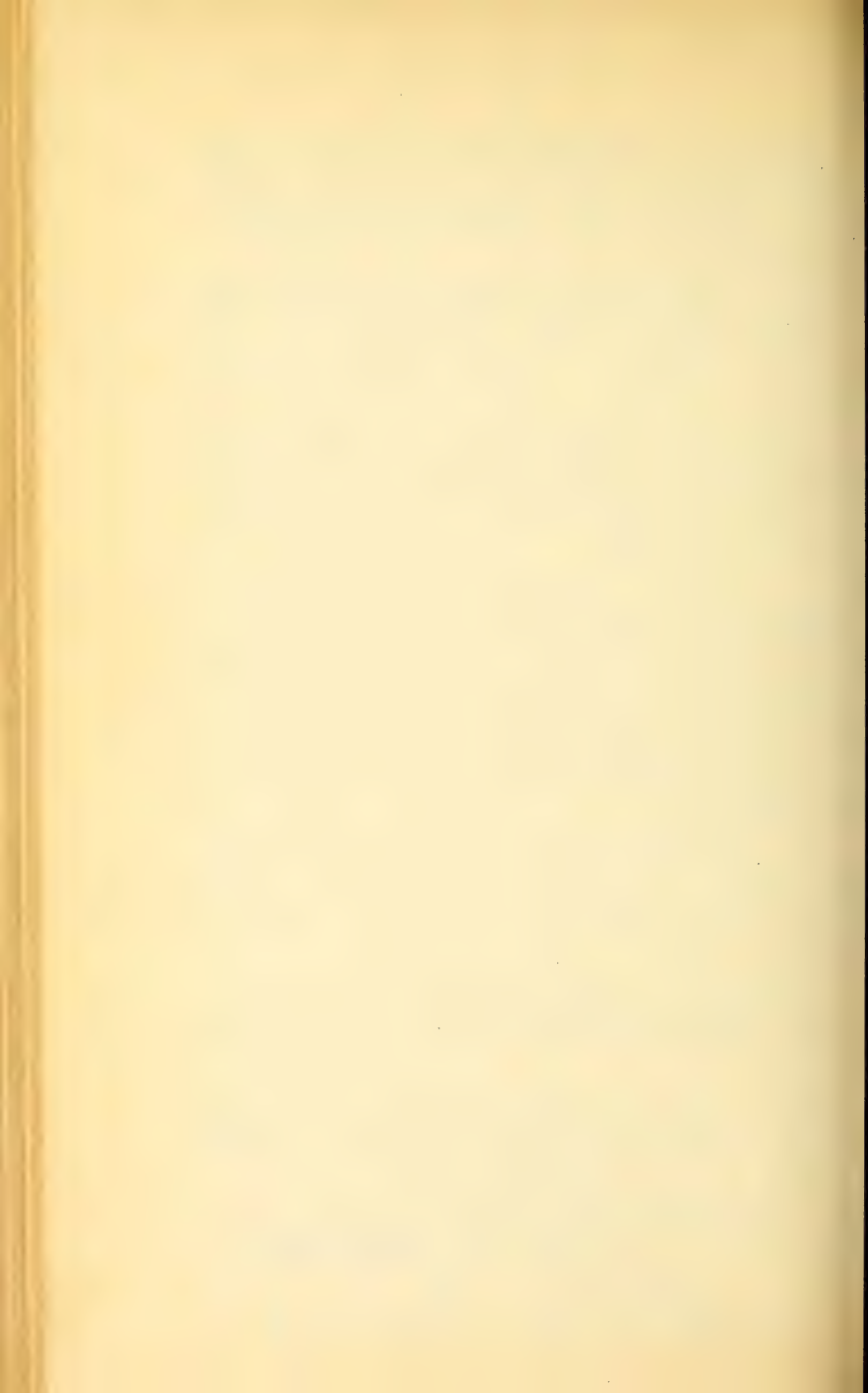
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SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 278. } Washington, November 25, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert Hopper*, Company H, 6th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 245, October 17, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *John J. Urias*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, now at 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, instead of "Camp Wikoff, New York."

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Carl W. Hodgeman*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry Smith*, Company A, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marvin P. Hughes*, Battery I, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Morgan, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Hospital Steward *Matthew Neil*, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, to Fort Delaware, Delaware. He will be sent to that post and will report upon his arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

Hospital Steward *Hermann W. Riess*, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, to Augusta, Georgia. He will be sent to that station and will report upon his arrival to

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the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to the 1st Division Hospital.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *George W. Mullen*, will, upon expiration of furlough, be sent by the commanding officer of Fort Columbus, New York, to the Hospital Ship "Relief," upon the arrival of that vessel at New York. He will report for duty to the surgeon commanding that ship.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *John Brown*, now at Long Island Head Battery, Boston, Massachusetts, will, as soon as his services can be spared, be sent to Fort Ontario, New York. Upon his arrival at that post he will report to the commanding officer for duty.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Elvin E. Neuser*, Company D, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Zebulon Warren*, Battery I, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Morgan, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank R. Cornelius*, Battery I, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Morgan, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Louis G. Lister*, General Service, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph P. Mullen*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort

Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles F. Burdick*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 75, Special Orders, No. 255, October 28, 1898, from this office, relating to 2d Lieutenant *Lafayette A. Dorrington*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Ralph Harrison*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Columbia, Tennessee, and report in person to Captain *William B. Homer*, 6th U. S. Artillery, chief mustering officer at that place, for temporary duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of Mississippi volunteers, and upon completion of this duty will report by telegraph to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. Leave of absence for fourteen days is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Mott Hooton*, 5th U. S. Infantry.

18. By direction of the President, Captain *Harry W. Miller*, 2d regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 1, 1898.

19. By direction of the President, Captain *Frederick L. Martin*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 23, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *John E. Hunt*, 25th U. S. Infantry, will report in person, without delay, to Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 7th U. S. Cavalry), president of the examining board appointed to meet at Denver, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, as

amended by Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will report to Captain *Charles G. Morton*, 6th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer for the State of Maine, Portland, Maine, for duty as examining surgeon of 8th U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps Company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Lawrence Haughton*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

23. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, November 23, 1898.*

By direction of the President, so much of General Orders, No. 162, October 7, 1898, from this office, as relates to Brigadier General *James R. Waties*, U. S. Volunteers, as amended by War Department order dated October 31, 1898, published in paragraph 67, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from Headquarters of the Army, is suspended until further orders.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles S. Stern*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

25. The leave of absence granted Major *Armand Romain*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 57, October 19, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

26. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Henry L. Reber*, 3d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Rothwell*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel

John B. Bellinger, Quartermaster's Department, will make two round trips from Savannah, Georgia, to Tampa, Florida, at such times as may be necessary, on official business pertaining to his duties at the places named. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Clarence R. Edwards*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Assistant Adjutant General of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *George P. Ahern*, 9th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Stephen M. Kochersperger*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 232, September 20, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include January 5, 1899, on account of sickness.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk, will proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to such points in Pennsylvania as may be necessary to pay the several companies of the 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough, on muster of October 31, 1898, and on completion of this duty will return to his station in this city. The Quartermaster's Department will provide transportation by express for the funds necessary for these payments to such points as Major *Rogers* may direct. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Edward A. Shuttleworth*, 11th U. S. Infantry.

34. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Elmo Carl-Lee*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 1, 1898, his services being no longer required.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William*

B. Gordon, Ordnance Department, will make not to exceed ten visits from Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts, to the C. H. Cowdrey Machine Works, Fitchburg, Massachusetts, on official business pertaining to the inspection of shell in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. Van Hood*, U. S. Army.

37. The leave of absence granted Major *William A. Wadsworth*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Aristides Agramonte*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Havana, Cuba, on official business pertaining to the pursuance of his studies with reference to the cause and prevention of yellow fever, under instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, and under the immediate direction of the chief surgeon at Havana, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort McPherson, Georgia, to the places set opposite their respective names, for annulment of their contracts:

James H. McCall, Huntingdon, Tennessee;

Edwin W. Patterson, Washington, District of Columbia;

James C. Ross, Salt Lake City, Utah.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John Van R. Hoff*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to duty as chief surgeon, Department of Porto Rico, to date from September 25, 1898.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Charles R. Greenleaf*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city, *via* New Orleans, Louisiana, to San Francisco, California, on official business pertaining to the Medical Department of the Army, and on arrival there will report by telegraph to the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George H. Morgan*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Minnesota, and will proceed to join his troop. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following assignments of officers to regiments, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, are announced:

Colonel *Clarence M. Bailey* (promoted from Lieutenant Colonel, 18th U. S. Infantry), to the 16th U. S. Infantry, to date from November 1, 1898, vice *Worth*, appointed Brigadier General, U. S. Army. He will proceed to join his regiment on the expiration of his present sick leave.

Lieutenant Colonel *William M. Van Horne* (promoted from Major, 8th U. S. Infantry), to the 18th U. S. Infantry, to date from November 1, 1898, vice *Bailey*, promoted. He will proceed to join the 18th U. S. Infantry.

Major *William Quinton* (promoted from Captain, 25th U. S. Infantry), to the 14th U. S. Infantry, to date from September 16, 1898, vice *Robe*, promoted;

Major *Harry G. Cavanaugh* (promoted from Captain, 13th U. S. Infantry), to the 13th U. S. Infantry, to date from September 17, 1898, vice *Ellis*, promoted;

Major *Jesse C. Chance* (promoted from Captain, 13th U. S. Infantry), to the 5th U. S. Infantry, to date from September 28, 1898, vice *Porter*, promoted.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *L. J. Rowell*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 247, paragraph 58, October 19, 1898, from this office, is still further extended ten days.

45. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Richard F. Cross*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 143, October 27, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

46. So much of paragraph 91, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, as orders the transfer of 2d Lieutenant *John W. Lancaster* from Company A to Company B, and 2d Lieutenant *Charles M. Hilliard* from Company B to Company A, in the 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to transfer 2d Lieutenant *Lancaster* from

Company A to Company D, and 2d Lieutenant *Hilliard* from Company D to Company A, in that regiment.

47. The leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Clarence G. Bunker*, 13th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frank H. Gunsolus*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from the assignments made in General Orders, No. 171, October 21, 1898, from this office, and they are assigned as follows:

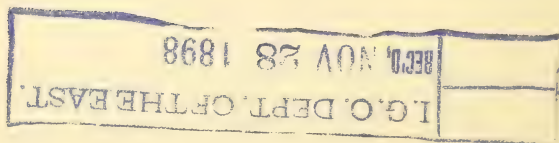
Major *William S. Bryant*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Brigadier General *Loyd Wheaton*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Brigade, 1st Division, 7th Army Corps, for duty as surgeon of that brigade;

Major *George B. Bunn*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Brigadier General *Henry C. Hasbrouck*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, for duty as surgeon of that brigade.

50. Second Lieutenant *A. O. Girard*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to Athens, Georgia, and report in person without delay to Brigadier General *William C. V. Oates*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment as aid-de-camp on his staff.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 279. } Washington, November 26, 1898.

1. Private *Thomas Hayes*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is, upon his own application, transferred to the Band, 2d U. S. Artillery. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry Schroeder*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. Privates *Dennis Bell*, Troop H, and *Edward Berry*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough in this city, will be sent to the station of their regiment, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

4. Private *John F. James*, Company E, 10th U. S. Infantry, Asbury Park, New Jersey, is transferred to Battery A, 5th U. S. Artillery. He will report at the station of that battery, Fort Hamilton, New York, for duty.

5. Paragraph 62, Special Orders, No. 263, November 7, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Alfred Morris*, Company E, 22d U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named unassigned Light Artillery recruits, now supposed to be attached to Battery B, 5th U. S. Artillery, at San Juan, Porto Rico, are assigned to Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery:

William B. Barr, John Dominick Burch, Frank Clark, Joseph A. Clarity, John Farley, James X. Fitzgerald, James J. Graham, Samuel Meldar, Austin Mullins, Frank Norris, Edward W. Richardson, John Sebion, Richard P. Skelly, Aaron Sussman, and Henry Richter.

They will be sent to the station of that battery, Ponce, Porto Rico, and upon arrival will report to the commanding officer for duty.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richelieu Irvine*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Hunts-

Inspector General

ville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *John C. Walser* (appointed November 18, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Battery C, 5th U. S. Artillery), Fort Hancock, New Jersey, will be sent to Fort Schuyler, New York, and will report upon arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Charles L. Geminer* (appointed November 19, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company F, 15th U. S. Infantry), Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Guantanamo, Cuba, and will report upon his arrival at that place to the commanding officer for duty.

10. Corporal *John W. Hosteller*, Light Battery C, 7th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be attached to Light Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred as private to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Brantly*, Troop G, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on sick furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *T. P. Graybill*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred as 2d class private, to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will be sent to Macon, Georgia, and will report upon his arrival there to Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank G. Atwood*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles H. Crosby*, Company D, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville,

Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of his regiment will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that station. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will on conclusion of treatment send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 263, November 7, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *William Abercrombie*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *William A. Ellison*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank A. Newcomer*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William A. Raymond*, Band, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alpha Kenyon, jr.*, Company L, 14th U. S. Infantry, now at Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

20. Private *George A. Wilson*, Company —, 11th U. S. Infantry, now attached to Company D, 9th U. S. Infantry, at Madison Barracks, New York, is transferred to that com-

pany and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Eliphalet H. Blatchford*, Troop E, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

22. Private *Sydney Fry*, Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be attached to Light Battery C, 7th U. S. Artillery, at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

23. Corporal *Charles G. Lawrence*, Light Battery G, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred as private to Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the station of that troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival, to the commanding officer for duty.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Valentine Kurtz*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, now at West Point, New York, is transferred to the Detachment of Army Service Men, Quartermaster's Department, at that post.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Charles Frank Ebbesen* and *William D. Broughton*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort Preble, Maine, are detailed as acting hospital stewards. They will be sent to Portland Head, Maine, and will report upon their arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Will T. May*, 15th U. S. Infantry, recently mustered out as Lieutenant Colonel, 157th Indiana Volunteers, is relieved from mustering duty, to take effect January 15, 1899, and will then proceed to join the 15th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *Howard Green*, Adjutant, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 24, current series, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the fol-

lowing-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Andrew S. Hicks*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Privates *James Marston Fitch* and *James A. Kerrick*, Light Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *John A. Wagner*, Company F, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Columbus, New York;

Corporal *James G. McPherson*, Company L, 24th U. S. Infantry, Fort Douglas, Utah.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Leroy P. Lowe*, Company I, 11th U. S. Infantry, and Sergeant *Don C. Stratton*, Company K, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, now at the Polyclinic Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon their arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The recruiting officer at No. 1316 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will furnish the necessary transportation and commutation of rations, and will also forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive lists and accounts of pay and clothing of the soldiers prior to their departure from that city, if said lists are obtainable by him. Unless the soldiers are proper subjects for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send them to their proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 271, November 16, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Herman Kappes*, Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

First-class Private *Raymond E. Adams*, 2d Class Privates

John F. Gallagher, Robert B. Jordan, Herman Nebelung, Gilbert Stout, Ollie B. West, and Haiden H. Wilson, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Second-class Private *Edward J. Flaherty, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;*

Private *Lebbeus F. Ferguson, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;*

Private *Rudolf Herrman, Troop F, 5th U. S. Cavalry, San Juan, Porto Rico;*

Private *William W. Baker, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;*

Private *Harry Pegan, Battery A, 1st U. S. Artillery, Key West Barracks, Florida;*

Private *Harry R. Frank, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;*

Private *Alloron L. Barnard, Battery E, 3d U. S. Artillery, Fort Mason, California;*

Private *Alfred I. Pick, Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;*

Private *James Mealey, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;*

Private *Harry G. McCloskey, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Greble, Rhode Island;*

Privates *Charles Janes, Company A, and Charles H. Krause, Company F, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;*

Private *William E. Trevis, Company G, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;*

Privates *William A. Wolcott, Company K, and John J. Donovan, Company M, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Brady, Michigan;*

Sergeant *William Bermingham, Company G, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;*

Privates *Meyer Van Lewen, Company E, and Henry C. Hoffman, Company I, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;*

Private *John H. Rhoades, Hospital Corps, Bedloes Island, New York.*

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Matthew F. Steele, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Minnesota.*

33. Leave of absence for three months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Thomas Wilhelm, 21st U. S. Infantry.*

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 171, July 22, 1898, from this office, is amended by striking out New York City, New York, as an important depot of the Subsistence Department. Under the provisions of an act of Congress approved July 7, 1898, for increasing the efficiency of the Subsistence Department, Omaha, Nebraska, is designated as an important depot to which officers of that department are assignable to duty, for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, and Captain *John H. Duval*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, is assigned to the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at that depot, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Major. Captain *Duval* will proceed to Omaha, Nebraska, and enter upon the duty herein assigned and in addition to such duty will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri, for assignment to duty as Chief Commissary of that department, to relieve Major *Herbert Katz*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

Major *Katz*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, for instructions.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Albert J. Bowley*, 4th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *William Paulding*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, is further extended three months on account of sickness.

37. By direction of the President, Major *William Cooke Daniels*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 28, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles M. Duffy*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is assigned

to temporary duty at Savannah, Georgia, and will assume charge of the Signal Corps Supply Depot at that place.

39. The following transfers are made in the 4th U. S. Cavalry, to take effect this date:

Captain *Joseph H. Dorst*, from Troop D to Troop M;

Captain *Wilber E. Wilder*, from Troop M to Troop D.

40. Sergeant *B. Distel*, Company D, and Private *Nathan Cohen*, Company I, 8th U. S. Infantry, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 171, November 21, 1898, Headquarters, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will return to that station.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

41. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank J. Dildine*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 264, paragraph 12, November 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended ten days on account of sickness.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Captain *John C. Michie*, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, to take effect December 1, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Francis J. Cronin*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Brennen*, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Greble, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles W. Neal*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Anniston, Alabama, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Commissary of Subsistence of the 1st Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps, to relieve Captain *John M. Tobin*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frederick Hadra*, U. S. Army, will proceed from San Antonio, Texas, to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on the first steamer sailing for Santiago, Cuba, and on arrival there will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Verdo B. Gregory*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Weston P. Chamberlain*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will report at once in person to Major *Alfred E. Bradley*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, commanding U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief" at that place, for duty.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John A. Hull*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as Judge Advocate of the 4th Army Corps, and will proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Pacific, for assignment to duty, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Charles L. Jewett*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers. Lieutenant Colonel *Jewett* upon being thus relieved will return to the United States, proceed to his home and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army for instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Harvey C. Carbaugh*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty as Judge Advocate of that corps.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry S. Greenleaf*, U. S. Army, will proceed at once from this city to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the judge-advocate of the general court martial

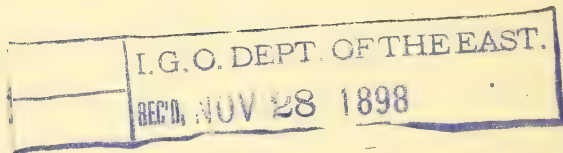
convened at that place, as a witness in the case of Private *Rucker*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, and on completion of this duty will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that place for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

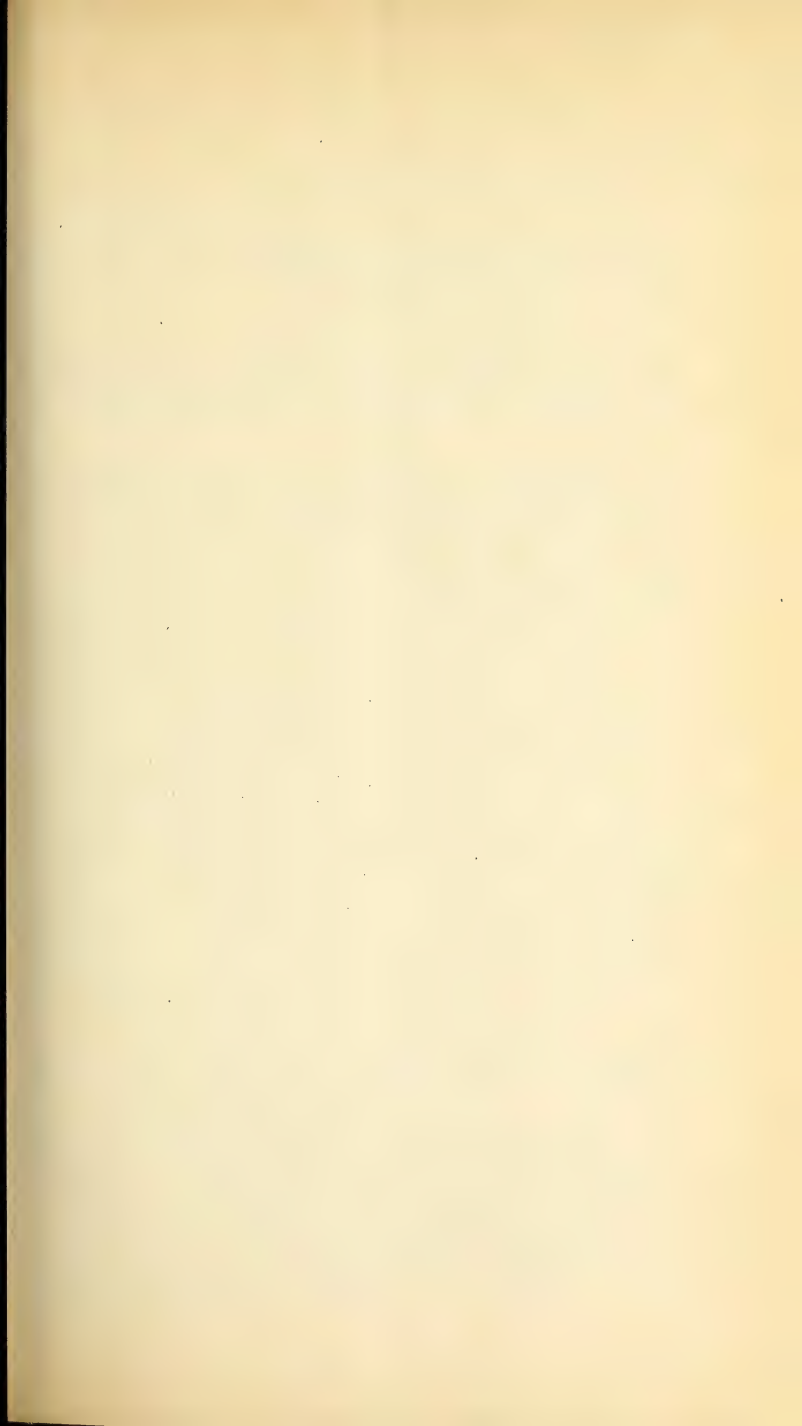
51. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Max L. McRae*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect December 1, 1898.

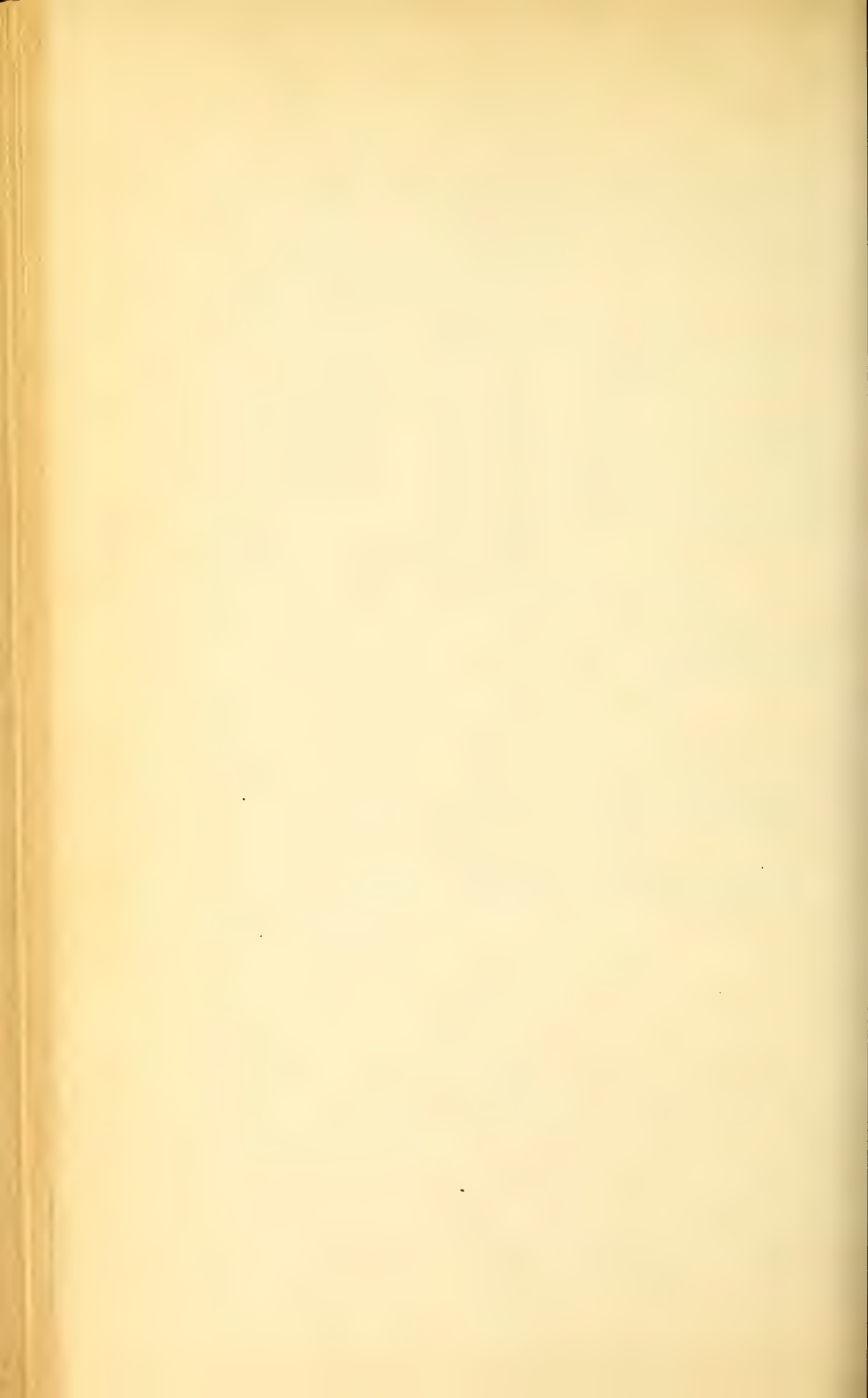
52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *John A. Porter*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in paragraph 66, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, is further extended to December 1, 1898.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 280. } Washington, November 28, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *George S. Vanatta* and *Ernest W. Steinbuchel*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to Savannah, Georgia, and will report upon their arrival there to their commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Allen A. Helms*, *James H. Rader*, and *Charley H. Travis*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at that post.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Oscar R. Gayle*, Hospital Corps, now at Camp Pilot Butte, Wyoming, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Victor Groubech*, Military Academy Detachment of Cavalry, now at West Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

5. Private *John E. Olmstead*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, at that station.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Abram Gildersleeve*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 7th Army Corps, now on sick furlough at his home, Wayne, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 3d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

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7. Private *Charles Crouch*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery B, 2d U. S. Artillery, at that post.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles James*, Troop L, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

9. Paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 273, November 18, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Charles Huntley*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Burt Aldrich*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ralph D. Heddens*, Battery D, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at San Diego Barracks, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry W. Dorrell*, Company E, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

13. Private *James Shea*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop E, 8th U. S. Cavalry, at that station.

14. Private *Joseph Hodges*, Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 6th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

15. Private *William Johnson*, Company H, 24th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Douglas, Utah, is, upon his own appli-

cation, transferred to the 9th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Isaiah Sanders*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Stephen Lloyd*, Light Battery F, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York;

Private *Bert L. Ketchum*, Company F, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sam Houston, Texas;

Private *George W. Flagg*, Company L, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Herbert T. Beckler*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Edward C. Barlow*, Hospital Corps, Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 20, Special Orders, No. 275, November 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to Commissary Sergeant *Theodore F. Derrick*, is revoked.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *Theodore F. Derrick* (appointed November 18, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company H, 10th U. S. Infantry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort Barrancas, Florida, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer, to relieve Commissary Sergeant *Marcus J. Pollack*;

Sergeant *Pollack*, when thus relieved, will be sent to Havana, Cuba, and will report upon his arrival there to Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, U. S. Army, Purchasing Commissary, for duty.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Camp Meade, Middle-

town, Pennsylvania, are transferred as 1st class privates to the 6th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that station, to date September 1, 1898:

Sergeants *John Sheridan*, *Owen F. Sheridan*, Privates *William W. Anthony*, *Fred W. Hoffman*, Company H; *William F. Banister*, Company I; *Thomas H. Frost*, Company L, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry; *Fred C. Butler*, Company M, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry; Corporals *George A. Littell*, Company K, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry; *Frank L. Schlick*, Company L, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, and Sergeant *Charles M. Sides*, Company B, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank N. Slayton*, Company K, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Mitchell G. Loper*, Company F, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Brutus C. Walton*, *Edward O. Slack*, *Charles B. Le Grand*, *Newton J. Creig*, and *Albert Edwards*, Troop L; *August Harsch* and *Oscar Greer*, Troop M, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 75, Special Orders, No. 274, November 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *John C. Collins*, Company A, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

24. The following-named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *Robert B. Robertson*, Company D; *Barry Lamden*, *Arthur Baker*, and *William I. Nolan*, Company F, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Griffin, Georgia, and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

25. The following named enlisted men, now at Indianapolis, Indiana, are transferred as privates to the 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *George H. Koehne* and *George H. Murphy*, Company E; *Edward Combs*, Company G; Musician *Walter H. Fortune*, Privates *Charles P. Koutz*, *William Macey*, *John F. McConnell*, *Charles Schaufler*, *Robert F. Schwaner*, and *George Singler*, Company M, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Savannah, Georgia, and directed to report to the commanding officer for duty.

26. Corporal *C. C. Keene*, Company H, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Atlanta, Georgia, is transferred as a private to the 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, and will be directed to report to the commanding officer of that regiment for duty.

27. The following named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers:

Privates *Charles H. Bird* and *R. L. Nixon*, Company A; *James I. Morris*, Company F, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Macon, Georgia, and directed to report to the commanding officer for duty.

28. The following-named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred as privates to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers:

Private *Henry T. Alexander*, Company D; Corporal *William L. Green* and Privates *W. S. Riviere*, Company F; *T. W. Crow* and *Eugene B. Frentticher*, Company G, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Macon, Georgia, and directed to report to the commanding officer for duty.

29. The following named enlisted men, now at Indianapolis, Indiana, are transferred as privates to the 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry:

Artificer *William C. Duree*, Company F; Privates *Henry G. Lotridge*, Company H; *Howard Carter*, Company L; *Alexander Lederer*, Company M, and *Edward Thomas*, Company C, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Savannah, Georgia, and directed to report to the commanding officer for duty.

30. The journey from New York City, New York, to Ponce, Porto Rico, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry S. Greenleaf*, U. S. Army, under telegraphic instructions from the Surgeon General of the Army, July 30, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 277, November 23, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Marshall W. Wood*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is revoked.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Benjamin W. Atkinson*, 6th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

33. The travel from Camp Meade, Middletown, to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, thence to Parsons and Plymouth, Pennsylvania, and return to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and thence to his station at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, October 21, 28, 29, 30 and 31, 1898, performed by Major *Daniel W. Arnold*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, and his authorized clerk, on official business pertaining to payments on muster out to the 9th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, under instructions from the Paymaster General of the Army and the chief mustering officer at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

34. The travel from Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, to Washington, District of Columbia, performed by Major *Daniel W. Arnold*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, under telegraphic instructions from the Paymaster General of the Army, November 18, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Daniel W. Arnold*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, and is assigned to duty in Washington, District of Columbia, to date from November 19, 1898.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Arthur S. Carswell*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers (Sergeant, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, U. S. Army), recently appointed, will proceed from Willets Point, New York, to Huntsville, Alabama, and report to Captain *Archibald O. Powell*, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *William V. Johnson*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *John D. Howe*, assistant surgeon, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 48, November 12, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is further extended fourteen days on account of sickness.

39. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *John W. Kambeck*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 157, October 29, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

40. First Lieutenant *Ambrose C. G. Williams Foote*, Adjutant, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to this city and report to the Major General Commanding the Army, for temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. The leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *Montgomery M. Mucomb*, 7th U. S. Artillery, in Special

Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles P. Summerall*, 5th U. S. Artillery, will proceed to Atlanta, Georgia, December 1, 1898, and report in person to Brigadier General *Alexander C. M. Pennington*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding Department of the Gulf, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. The journey from New York City to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and return, performed by Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, under instructions of October 15, 1898, from the Depot Quartermaster, New York City, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

44. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *George de G. Catlin*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 149, October 29, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Perry S. Newcombe*, Troop F, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, Melrose Park, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred R. Thompson*, Troop H, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now on furlough at his home, 820 Washington avenue, Braddock, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Charles M. Hagen*, now on sick furlough at Chicago, Illinois, from Sternberg General Hospital, Chickamauga Park, Georgia, will be sent to Fort Wayne, Michigan. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Marcus F. Davies*, Company E, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report to Lieutenant Colonel *W. A. Glassford*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Department of Porto Rico, San Juan, Porto Rico, for duty.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter C. C. Jennings*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benno Altmann*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles F. Miner*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Arhart*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Homer D. Barnes*, Company A, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will be sent to Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report for duty upon his arrival at that post to Lieutenant *George C. Burnell*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

54. Paragraph 48, Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *Francis H. Beach*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frederick W. Fabricius*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to New York City and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on first steamer sailing for

Santiago, Cuba, and upon his arrival at the latter place will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Henry C. Smither*, 1st U. S. Cavalry.

57. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *John G. Workizer*, 19th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

58. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Frederick T. Van Liew*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 255, October 28, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

59. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *John W. Barker*, 3d U. S. Infantry, with permission to go beyond the limits of the Department of Dakota.

60. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Colville P. Terrett*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 261, November 4, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

61. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Richard L. Livermore*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 226, September 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

62. The leave of absence granted Major *Hugh L. Scott*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 11, current series, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended five days.

63. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George E. Goodrich*, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 136, October 20, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is still further extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

64. The journey performed by 1st Lieutenant *T. T. Jackson*, assistant surgeon, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, from Austin,

Texas, to Savannah, Georgia, in compliance with the instructions of Major *B. B. Buck*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, mustering officer, of November 4, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edward T. Drea*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

66. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank L. Schelling*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Edward Hunter*, Deputy Judge Advocate General, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to St. Paul, Minnesota, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Dakota, for assignment to duty as judge advocate of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, under the provisions of an act of Congress approved July 7, 1898, for increasing the efficiency of the Quartermaster's Department of the Army, the following assignments are ordered:

Lieutenant Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, is assigned to duty as Special Inspector of the Quartermaster's Department, under the instructions of the Quartermaster General of the Army, to date from November 19, 1898, and while so acting shall have the rank of Colonel;

Major *Theodore E. True*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, is assigned to duty in charge of the principal depot of the Quartermaster's Department in Washington, District of Columbia, under the instructions of the Quartermaster General of the Army, to date from November 26, 1898, and while so acting shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William W. Gilbert*, paymaster, U. S. Army, and Majors *William J. Black*, *Merrill W. Lang*, *Robert B. Huston*, and *Hamilton S. Wallace*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, are relieved from duty in this city and will proceed to and take station at Headquarters, Department of the Gulf, Atlanta,

Georgia, reporting to the commanding general and to the chief paymaster of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are ordered:

Major *Edwin F. Gardner*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty as chief surgeon, 3d Division, 2d Army Corps, and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that place for duty;

Major *Edgar A. Mearns*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 1st Army Corps, and will proceed to Athens, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 3d Division, 2d Army Corps, for duty as chief surgeon of that division.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *J. M. McMillan*, Adjutant, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph E. Willard*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General of the 7th Army Corps for assignment to duty as Assistant Quartermaster under his direction.

73. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Edward T. Miller*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 1, 1898, his services being no longer required. He is relieved from further duty as aid-de-camp and will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Joseph D. Wood*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 14, 1898, his services being no longer required.

75. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles C. Clark*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged from

the Volunteer Army of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898, and will proceed to join his company as 1st Lieutenant, 5th U. S. Infantry, at Santiago, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Van Leer Wills*, 12th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Major General *Joseph Wheeler*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 4th Army Corps, for assignment and duty as aid-de camp on his staff.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet, at the call of the president thereof, at Fort Monroe, Virginia, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it, to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Major *Calvin DeWitt*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *John L. Tiernon*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Major *James M. Ingalls*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Major *Samuel M. Mills*, 6th U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Eugene H. Hartnett*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Charles L. Phillips*, 4th U. S. Artillery, recorder.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Major *Calvin DeWitt*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Monroe, Virginia, by Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations or to the places of receipt by them of this order:

Captain *Abner H. Merrill*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Captain *William Ennis*, 4th U. S. Artillery (Lieutenant Colonel and chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers);

Captain *George S. Grimes*, 2d U. S. Artillery;

Captain *John M. K. Davis*, 1st U. S. Artillery (Major and Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers);

First Lieutenant *Frederick Marsh*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *David Price*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *Frank S. Harlow*, 1st U. S. Artillery;
 Second Lieutenant *Frank E. Harris*, 1st U. S. Artillery.
 The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George P. Ahern*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will report to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer at New York City, for duty in connection with the muster out of New York volunteers.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, is appointed chief mustering officer for the State of Kentucky and will proceed to Lexington, Kentucky, and take charge of all matters pertaining to muster out of service of volunteer organizations from that State. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Pay Department are ordered:

Major *George R. Smith*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty in the Department of the Gulf, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty as chief paymaster;

Majors *Benjamin F. Havens*, *Joseph S. Wilkins*, *Clark M. Carr*, *S. Heth Tyler*, and *John R. Lynch*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, are relieved from duty in the Department of the Gulf and will report in person to Major *George R. Smith*, paymaster, U. S. Army, to accompany him to Havana, Cuba, for duty at that station.

The above-named officers will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Paymaster General of the Army, for instructions, then repair to New York City, New York, and embark on the first convenient steamer for Havana. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 278, November 25, 1898, from this office, relating to Lieutenant Colonel *John Van R. Hoff*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John Van R. Hoff*, surgeon, U. S. Army, and late Lieutenant Colonel

and chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to duty as chief surgeon, Department of Porto Rico, to date from September 25, 1898.

84. By direction of the President, Major *David Hemphill*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 26, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John C. Gilmore, jr.*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Huntsville, Alabama, to this city, and report in person to the Adjutant General of the Army for temporary duty until January 10, 1899, when he will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Richard W. Johnson*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the chief mustering officer at Chicago, Illinois, to make the physical examination preparatory to the muster out of the 7th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jerauld A. Olmsted*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, having been examined by a board of officers and found physically disqualified for the duties of Major of Cavalry by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement by the President from active service as a Major under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, is announced, to date from October 16, 1898, the date he would have been promoted to that grade by reason of seniority, if found qualified. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edward E. Gayle*, 2d U. S. Artillery, will report in person without delay to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 274, November 19, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. The following transfers are made in the 4th Cavalry, to take effect this date:

Second Lieutenant *James S. Parker*, from Troop G to Troop L;

Second Lieutenant *Edward B. Cassatt*, from Troop L to Troop G.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William C. Borden*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the mustering officer to make the physical examinations of the 5th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, to be mustered out at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, at 9 o'clock a. m., November 29, 1898.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, U. S. Army, will report in person to the Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, for duty as medical superintendent of transportation.

92. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in addition to his duties as medical superintendent of transportation, is detailed as a member of the board of medical officers convened to meet at the Army Building, 39 Whitehall street, New York City, November 15, 1898, by paragraph 83, Special Orders, No. 269, November 14, 1898, from this office, to relieve Major *William H. Arthur*, surgeon, U. S. Army.

93. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Frank Garnett Young*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Clarksburg, West Virginia, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

94. By direction of the President, Captain *John M. Tobin*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 10, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

95. By direction of the President, Captain *James C. Simpson*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

96. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant

William Brooke, 4th U. S. Infantry, will repair to this city and report in person to Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

97. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed from the places hereinafter designated to Camp Forse, Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. troops at that place for assignment to duty:

R. E. Caldwell, from Richmond, Virginia;

Charles Farmer, from Lexington, Kentucky.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

98. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Harry L. Rogers*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will proceed to Fort Mott, New Jersey; Fort Delaware, Delaware, and Fort McHenry, Maryland, for payment of troops there on muster of November 30, 1898.

Majors *George C. Stewart* and *James W. Dawes*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Major *Rogers* to assist him in making these payments.

Payments will be made in person, except at Fort Mott, which will be paid in funds shipped by express.

The Quartermaster's Department will transport the funds necessary for these payments by express to such points as the paymasters may direct.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

99. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George W. Baird*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will proceed to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia; Fort Myer, Sheridan Point, and Fortress Monroe, Virginia; Fort Washington, Maryland, and Fort Macon and Fort Caswell, North Carolina, for payment of troops at these posts on muster of November 30, 1898. Majors *Eugene Coffin* and *Pierre C. Stevens*, additional paymasters, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Major *Baird* to assist him in the performance of this duty.

The Quartermaster's Department will transport the funds necessary for these payments by express to such points as the paymasters may direct.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

100. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James K. Thompson*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, and will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty at the headquarters of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

101. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon, *Ralph L. Taylor*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

102. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William J. Nicholson*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 7th U. S. Cavalry), is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Kentucky.

103. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, November 28, 1898.*

The proceedings of the general court-martial which tried Sergeant *William H. Galleher*, of Company M, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having been found to be fatally defective, the sentence in the case is declared to be void and is hereby set aside.

R. A. ALGER,

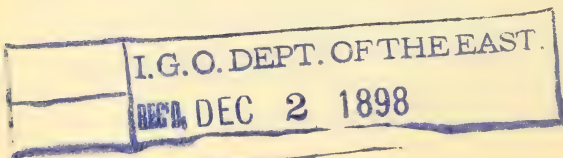
Secretary of War.

104. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Edwin P. Wolfe*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

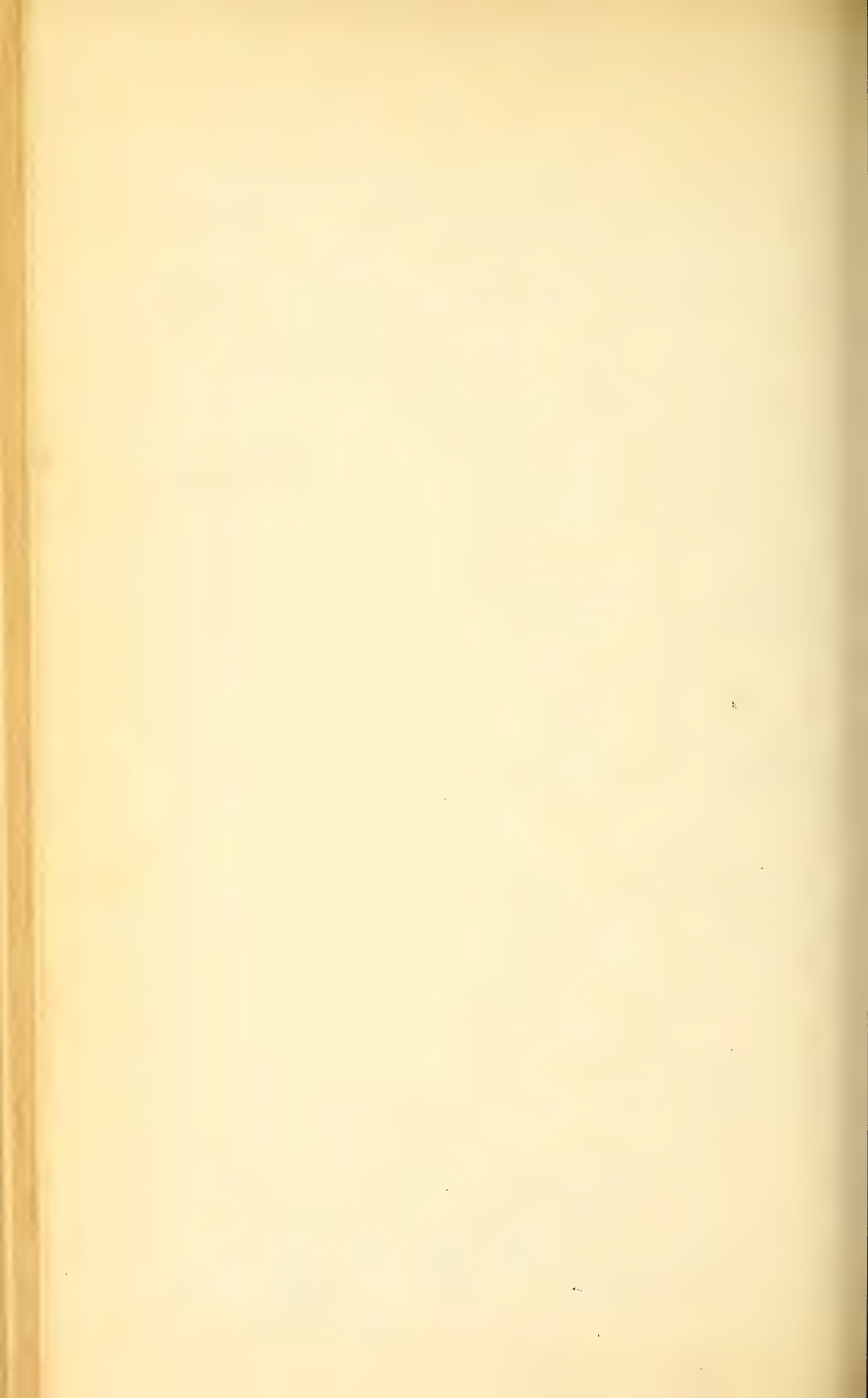
BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,

Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 281. } Washington, November 29, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Charles Hammond*, General Service, Recruiting Station, corner Third and Olive streets, St. Louis, Missouri, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *August O. Sorenson*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles C. Cunningham*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division Hospital, Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Austin Hays*, Troop D, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas R. Chalcraft*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *John Leonard*, Battery G, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *F. H. Sheridan*, Hospital Corps, now at Recruiting Station, No. 25 Third avenue, New York City, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Richard A. Wood*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at Boise Barracks, Idaho, is assigned to duty at that post. He will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

9. Musician *Augustus L. Cloutier*, Light Battery F, 3d U. S.

Artillery, now attached to Light Battery C, 7th U. S. Artillery, Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred as private to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Woodward*, Band, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Privates *Frederick C. Briggs* and *George W. Driver, jr.*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Henry J. Graf*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *Albert Hull*, Troop K, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Puerto Principe, Cuba;

Private *Samuel Morris*, Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, Ponce, Porto Rico;

Private *William W. McClintock*, Company F, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *David Z. Cole*, Company G, 11th U. S. Infantry, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 245, October 17, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Emil M. Karmel*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, "Troop F, 1st U. S. Cavalry."

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herbert G. Boorse*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at his home, 24 South Eighth street, Allentown, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James L. Waddington*, Company A, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service

of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry F. O'Brien*, Battery B, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the station the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the U. S. General Hospital at that place.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *John C. Moss*, Company C, 2d U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank E. Shepard*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, Huntsville, Alabama, instead of "Camp Wikoff, New York."

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Theodore B. Hacker*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is temporarily relieved from duty as assistant to the Chief Commissary of Subsistence, 7th Army Corps, at Savannah, Georgia, and will join the transport "Comal" at that place, for duty as Commissary of Subsistence and Acting Assistant Quartermaster on that transport, in charge of the distribution of subsistence supplies to the destitute Cubans, in accordance with the act of Congress approved May 18, 1898, as published in paragraph III, General Orders, No. 56, Headquarters of the Army, May 27, 1898, and on the completion of this duty, will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Edward C. Barstow*, U. S. Army, now on duty at Fort Myer, Virginia, will proceed to this city, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John T. Booth*, U. S. Army, now on duty at Fort Myer, Virginia, will proceed to Cincinnati, Ohio, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. Captain *Luther S. Kelly*, 7th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report for duty to the commanding officer of his regiment.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War—

Colonel *Alfred Mordecai*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Major *Stanhope E. Blunt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and

Captain *George S. Anderson*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, are detailed as members of a board of officers to meet at the Army Building, New York City, at 10 o'clock a. m., on Tuesday, December 6, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, jointly with an officer of the Navy and an officer of the Marine Corps, who may be detailed as members of the board by the Secretary of the Navy, to consider the question of the adoption of a uniform caliber for small arms and machine guns, and of a standard and uniform small-arm cartridge for the use of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. and make report and recommendation thereon.

Such journeys as it may be necessary for the above-named officers to make in attending the meetings of the board and in returning to their proper stations upon the completion of the business before the board are necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the President, the following-named officers of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps are honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect from the dates set opposite their respective names, their services being no longer required:

Captain *Thomas F. Clark*, December 20, 1898;

Captain *George W. Butler*, December 15, 1898;

Captain *John B. Inman*, December 15, 1898;

Captain *John W. McConnell*, December 5, 1898;

Captain *Alexander D. B. Smead*, December 5, 1898;

Captain *Henry H. Canfield*, December 31, 1898;

Captain *Edward W. Winfield*, December 31, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Patrick W. Crawford*, December 5, 1898;

First Lieutenant *William F. M. Rogers*, December 15, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Charles E. Walker*, December 5, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Albert C. Thompson, jr.*, December 5, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Hugh Haddow, jr.*, December 31, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Henry W. Sprague*, December 10, 1898;

First Lieutenant *Don A. Palmer*, December 10, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Max Wagner*, December 5, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Grant Squires*, December 5, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Robert W. Rodman*, December 5, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *E. Neal Gillespie*, December 5, 1898.

Such of the officers named as may not already be there will proceed to their homes.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. Leave of absence for two months is granted 2d Lieutenant *Louis B. Hamilton*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

25. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Wesley E. King*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is extended four days.

26. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William E. Darby*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 63, October 26, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended ten days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

27. The following transfers are made in the 8th U. S. Infantry:

Second Lieutenant *Harry A. Eaton*, from Company A to Company F;

Second Lieutenant *Edward W. Perkins*, from Company F to Company A.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Archibald O. Powell*, 2d Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, will proceed to St. Paul, Minnesota, and report for temporary duty to Major *Frederic V. Abbot*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the President, Captain *Julius A. Penn*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 2d U. S. Infantry), is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Major *Burton S. Booth*, surgeon, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect December 1, 1898;

Captain *A. W. S. Irvine*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and 1st Lieutenant *H. H. Bowly*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 71, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *Lewis C. Balch*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and Major and surgeon, 2d New York Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read "Major *Lewis Balch*."

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Matt R.*

Peterson, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, having tendered his resignation as Major, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, is honorably discharged the service as Major of said regiment, to take effect this date.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *C. L. Shuff*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James W. Scully*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will proceed from New Orleans to Fort St. Philip, Louisiana, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. The leave of absence granted Captain *Robert N. Getty*, 23d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 97, September 20, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended one month and five days.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on account of physical disability is granted Captain *William C. Manning*, 14th U. S. Infantry.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *James T. Harbin*, now in chief surgeon's office, Headquarters, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles L. Hiner*, Troop K, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry M. Spofford*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, now at Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Eben B. Fenton*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now on duty at Havana, Cuba, as assistant to the Purchasing and Depot Commissary, will return to Cienfuegos, Cuba, accompanied by his authorized clerk and the Commissary Sergeant on duty with him, and resume his duties of Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John L. Goltra*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Ponce, Porto Rico, and will proceed to Buffalo, New York, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Sergeant *Michael Hoey*, Company C, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company C, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs his descriptive list and account of pay and clothing prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

43. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *W. V. Rinehart, jr.*, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 180, November 10, 1898, Department of California, is extended twenty days.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *David B. Wilson*, 25th U. S. Infantry (Major and Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers), will report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Governors Island, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 274, November 19, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Bert H. Merchant*, 8th U. S. Infantry, will report in person without delay to Brigadier General *Edwin V. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 7th U. S. Cavalry), president of the examining board appointed to meet at Denver, Colorado, by Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, as amended by Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *William Yates*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, will report in person upon

the completion of the duty for which he was ordered to Fort Riley, Kansas, to Major *Egon A. Koerper*, surgeon, U. S. Army, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will proceed to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. Paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, relative to 1st Lieutenant *William J. D. Horne*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the transfer, by the President, November 21, 1898, of 2d Lieutenant *Woodson Hocker*, 5th U. S. Artillery, to the Infantry arm, with rank therein from October 11, 1898, and his assignment to the 11th U. S. Infantry, is announced. The commanding officer of the 11th U. S. Infantry will assign Lieutenant *Hocker* to a company, and promptly report the assignment by letter to this office.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Theodore F. Forbes*, 5th U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the conclusion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. The leave of absence granted Captain *Harry L. Haskell*, 12th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 60, October 27, 1898, Department of the Missouri, is extended twenty days.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas W. Connell*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to Brigadier General *Henry T. Douglas*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 2d Brigade, 1st Division, 7th Army Corps, for appointment and duty as aid de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.

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SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 282. } Washington, November 30, 1898.

1. The extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *James A. Moss*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Walter T. Duggan*, 10th U. S. Infantry, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, vice Captain *John F. Stretch*, 10th U. S. Infantry, who is hereby relieved.

3. The travel from San Antonio, Texas, to Galveston, Texas, and return, about November 8, 1898, performed by 1st Lieutenant *Clough Overton*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, on mustering duty, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

4. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *G. S. Taylor*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability, in Special Orders, No. 162, November 3, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

5. Leave of absence for one month from November 10, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *M. B. Crisman*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Isaac W. Brewer*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 263, November 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include December 17, 1898, on account of sickness.

7. The leave of absence on account of sickness granted Major *Fred T. Jones*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 271, November 16, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

8. The following-named enlisted men, now at New York City, New York, are transferred as privates to the 12th New York Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *Frank L. Williams*, Company A; *Warden B. Furry*, *Carmina Mirabella*, Company C; Musician *Oliver Wilson*,

Inspector General.

Privates *Edward Bryson*, Company D; *Henry J. Broad*, *Martin J. Harmey*, *Nicholas Stone*, Company E; *Wynne P. Munson*, Company F; *Edward J. Griffin*, *William B. Lambert*, *Charles Liebgold*, *James McKenna*, *George Rottgardt*, and *Leo B. Thorne*, Company I; *John Fitzgerald*, *Joseph Furnival*, Company K; Sergeant *William H. Ehrmann*, Privates *George M. Davis*, *Arthur Euston*, *Charles J. Ford*, *Joseph H. Mayfield*, *John Peters*, *Kae Stewart*, *Joseph T. Welsch*, Company L, and *Gustav Hagen*, Company M, 9th New York Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of the 12th New York Volunteer Infantry and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

9. Sergeant *William E. Howard*, Company L, 33d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, now at Grand Rapids, Michigan, is transferred as a private to the 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Augusta, Georgia, and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *W. J. Noble*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps and will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and directed to report upon arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *R. P. Strong*, chief signal officer, 4th Army Corps, at that place, for duty.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Mortimer L. Auspacher* and *Byron S. Klotz*, 11th Company, Augusta, Georgia;

Corporal *R. A. Prendergast*, Privates *Lawrence L. DuBois*, *Louis W. Jaquith*, and *Walter S. Johnson*, 13th Company, Savannah, Georgia;

First-class Sergeant *Robert T. Junkin*, 16th Company, Aniston, Alabama;

First-class Sergeant *Fred G. Briede*, Privates *Peter J. Leary* and *Raymond H. Zechlin*, 17th Company, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred as privates to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers:

Sergeant *Joel B. Rainey*, Privates *Edward E. Denman*, Company A; *George F. Hudson*, Company B; *Frank S. Sims*, Company F, and *Andrew H. Sanders*, Company I, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Atlanta, Georgia, are transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Macon, Georgia:

Privates *T. A. Milner*, Company F; *Gustave W. Baumann*, *Clifford M. Shelton*, and *Hugh Yearwood*, Company I, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *David H. Bentz*, Troop H, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report for duty to Lieutenant Colonel *Richard P. Strong*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at his present station.

15. Private *H. H. Shafer*, Company K, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now at Columbus, Georgia, is transferred to the 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Savannah, Georgia, and directed to report to the commanding officer for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Arthur P. Brown*, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort Ontario, New York. He will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert G. Dale*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Trumpeter *Clarence C. Colby*, Troop K, 3d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, to date Septem-

ber 7, 1898. He will be sent to Anniston, Alabama, and directed to report upon arrival to the chief signal officer for duty.

19. The following-named enlisted men, now at Indianapolis, Indiana, are transferred as privates to the 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Savannah, Georgia:

Privates *John G. Kopp*, Company E; *William H. Vaughn*, Company L; Corporal *Gustave A. Langner*, Private *Carl Levy*, Company M; and Sergeant Major *Bert A. Cole*, 159th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

They will be directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps:

Musician *H. M. Quesenbery*, Company —, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *J. R. Cook*, *Rufus Fudge*, Company F; *J. W. Innis*, Company H; *Walter A. Thorp*, Company I, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James A. Shuler*, Company L, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *John F. Harrigan*, Company B; *Abe C. Forrester*, Company I; *F. M. Hargraves*, Company L, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *H. Sorrels*, Company C, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *William McDevitt*, Company D; *D. A. Gray*, *Charles E. Smith*, Company I, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *J. B. Beison* and *D. E. Kelter*, Company B, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry.

They will be directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *J. E. Maxfield*, signal officer, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, for duty.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John H. Rice*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty with the 3d U. S. Cavalry, and will proceed to Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer for duty at that Arsenal. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from duty at the U. S. Military Academy, to take effect upon the completion of the January, 1899, examinations thereat, and will then proceed to the places hereinafter specified and report in person to the respective commanding officers for duty at the arsenals indicated:

First Lieutenant *Thales L. Ames*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, to Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Illinois;

First Lieutenant *Harry H. Stout*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, to Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts;

First Lieutenant *David M. King*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, to Allegheny Arsenal, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Allen H. Bowie*, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, is transferred to the 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, with the approval of the commanding officers of both regiments, as hospital steward, and will be sent to the station of the 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now at Manzanillo, Cuba.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation and the Subsistence Department commutation of rations at the prescribed rates.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Clarence H. McNeil*, 5th U. S. Artillery, and 2d Lieutenant *Hugh La F. Applewhite*, 6th U. S. Artillery, are relieved from the duties of assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer in connection with the muster out of service of District of Columbia volunteers, and will join their proper commands.

25. The travel from Huntsville, Alabama, to Boston, Massachusetts, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. H. Norton*, about August 30, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

26. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, November 30, 1898.*

By direction of the President, so much of War Department order, dated October 7, 1898, published in General Orders, No. 162, of that date, from this office, as discharges Brigadier Generals *Andrew S. Burt* and

Roy Stone, U. S. Volunteers, to date November 30, 1898, is amended so as to honorably discharge them to take effect December 31, 1898.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. Stebbins King*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Huntsville, Alabama, and upon arrival report to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James E. Pilcher*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 7th Army Corps, and will proceed to and take station at Savannah, Georgia, as medical supply officer for troops stationed near or passing through that city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the President, and in accordance with section 1260, Revised Statutes, and the acts of Congress approved May 4, 1880, and August 6, 1894, Major *William A. Thompson*, U. S. Army, is detailed by the Secretary of War for service as professor at Grove City College, Grove City, Pennsylvania.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John Landstreet, jr.*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as assistant to the Chief Commissary, 2d Army Corps, and will proceed, accompanied by his authorized clerk, to Greenville, South Carolina, and report in person to Brigadier General *George W. Davis*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles A. Bennett*, 3d U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Nevada, and from his other duties pertaining to the muster of volunteers, and will proceed to San Diego Barracks, California, and report in person to the commanding officer for temporary duty at that post, upon the completion of which he will proceed to join Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, at Savannah, Georgia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles E. Marrow*, U. S. Army, is relieved from

duty on the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," and will report to the commanding officer, U. S. Hospital Ship "Bay State," for assignment to duty.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 76, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, relating to 2d Lieutenant *Van Leer Wills*, 12th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

34. The resignation of 2d Lieutenant *Allen G. Wright*, 14th U. S. Infantry, has been accepted by the President, to take effect December 31, 1898.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George Schmidt*, Company B, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Augustus L. Garren*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Elijah M. Chase*, Battery B, 1st Maine Volunteer Heavy Artillery;

Private *Frank S. Geppert*, Company L, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Wildredge H. Gorman*, Company H, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Ervin E. Reed*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lester H. Morris*, Company H, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Charles C. Lafferty*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *John Raglan*, Company K, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Corporal *Hugh F. O'Donnell*, Company K, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Martin O'Neil Galvin* and Sergeant *John B. Boyle*, Company L, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Judson L. Wilbanks*, Company C, and Corporal *Victor M. Locke*, Company E, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;
Sergeant *Dana O. Flagg*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeants *James L. Jervey*, *W. St. Julien Jervey*, and Private *William Rivers Fuller*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Ava C. Frymire*, Company F, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *McPherson Phillips*, Company A, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John Mitchell*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *William Brown*, *John Doyle*, *Robert M. Ewing*, *Frank Hodgman*, *Ernest R. Kelly*, *Charles T. Lingo*, Company A; *John Donnelly*, *Walter C. Hoover*, *William T. Travers*, Company B; *James B. Cannon*, *Charles Leibernmann*, *Samuel Mackey*, *Emmet Tosney*, Company M, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Louis Miller*, Company B, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Robert F. Thornberry*, Company B, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Charles E. King, jr.*, *Elmer H. King*, Company A, and *Aubrey E. Brownell*, Company K, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry A. Wright*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry C. Martin*, Company E, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Thomas F. Randolph*, Company C, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Cary W. Martin*, Company A, and Private *Leonard Spire*, Company —, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry L. Shaffer*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *W. O. Steele*, Company B, and Private *Joseph D. Lewis*, Company L, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *John A. Vinson*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Joseph T. Clarke*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is detailed as a member of the examining board appointed to meet at Madison Barracks, New York, by Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, *vice* Acting Assistant Surgeon *William W. Calhoun*, U. S. Army, who is hereby relieved.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *William M. Black*, chief engineer, U. S. Volunteers (Major, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), is relieved from duty on the staff of the Major General commanding the Army, and will report in person for duty to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army.

42. By direction of the President, Lieutenant Colonel *William M. Black*, chief engineer, U. S. Volunteers (Major, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 31, 1899.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Leonard J. Cohen*, Hospital Corps, now at Reserve Hospital, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Christopher Moore*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the

United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William A. Young*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

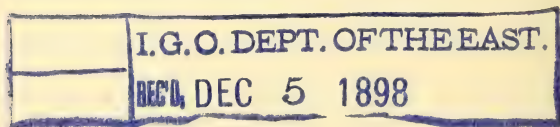
46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred Worsdell*, Company A, 12th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Myers*, Company G, 22d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

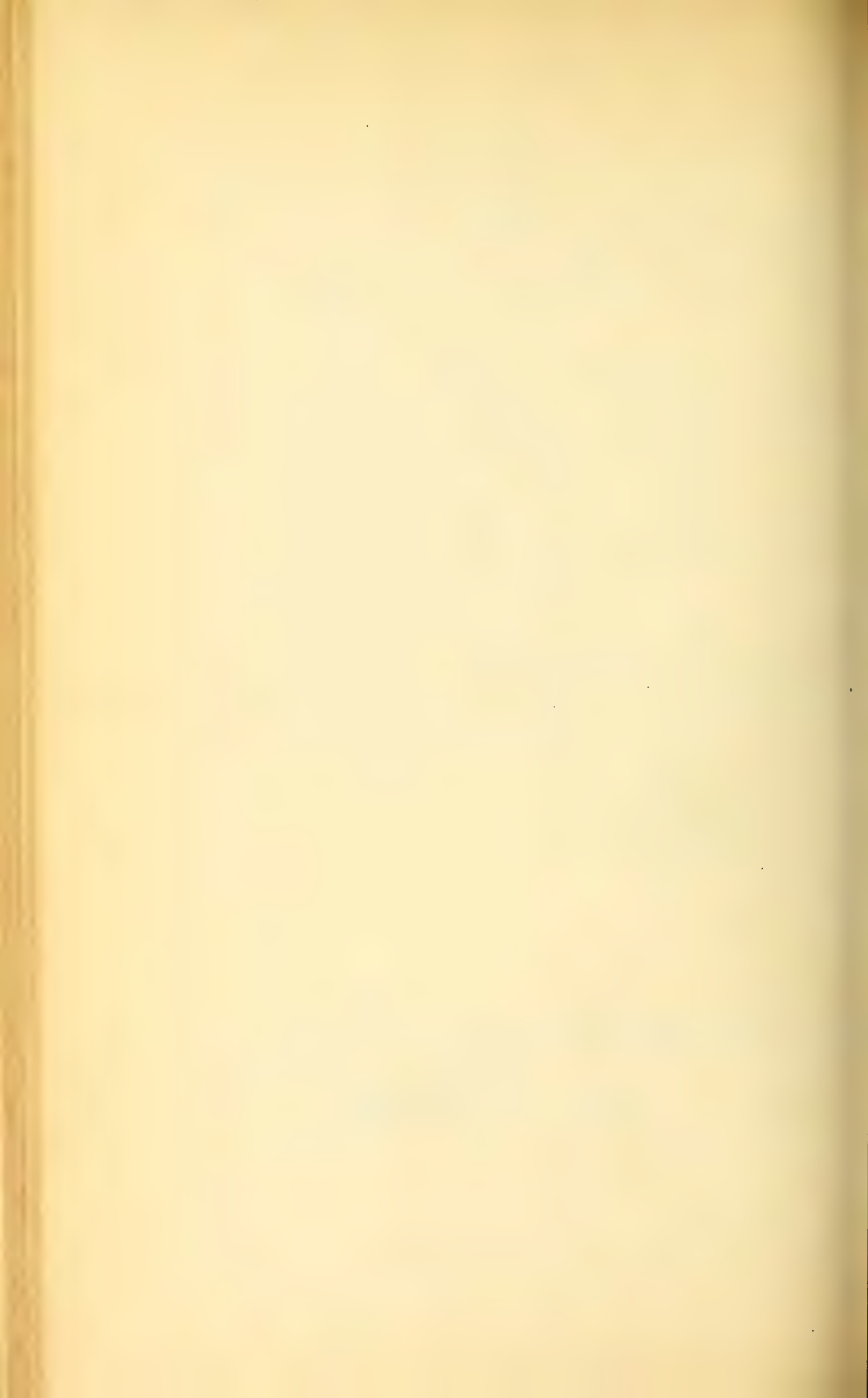
48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Emmet*, Battery —, 5th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Fort Wadsworth, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 283. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, December 1, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Samuel C. Phipps*, Company H, 1st California Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Joseph B. Clinedinst*, Company K, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Raymond B. Dawes*, Company C, 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John T. Nichols*, Company D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Everett E. Garner*, Company D, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

Inspector General

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, by the commanding officer of his station of Private *D. E. Graffius*, Company C, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Alfred D. Bowen*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Willard G. Harris*, Company M. 2d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant Major *Peter Osmar*, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;
Private *Blair P. Wilson*, Company C, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Robert J. Langan*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Fred J. Postel*, Company D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Charles Langmayer*, Company H, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *George W. Garland, jr.*, 3d Company; Private *Edward Johnson*, 11th Company, and 1st Class Private *Melvin G. Allen*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Corporal *John C. Fagan*, Company —, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *George Faurot*, Privates *Walter Campbell*, *John Harley*, and *Charles F. Reynolds*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Gustav J. Hausser*, Company A, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Howard B. Cox*, Privates *Robert A. Cox*, *Walter A. Cox*, Company E, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward H. Rosegrant*, Company D, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John Everet*, Company K, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry D. Boyd*, Company B, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry O. Barber*, Company C, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Edward H. Kennedy*, Company E, and *Edward A. Campbell*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Harry A. Barrows*, Company E, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

16. The following transfers are made in the 15th U. S. Infantry, to take effect this date:

Captain *David D. Mitchell*, from Company B to Company L;

Captain *Edward Lloyd*, from Company L to Company B.

17. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Maurice C. Ashley*, assistant surgeon, 1st New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 188, November 21, 1898, Department of California, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 277, November 23, 1898, from this office, as relieves Major *Charles L. Davis*, 11th U. S. Infantry, from duty as chief mustering officer of North Carolina, is amended so as to fix the date of his relief December 31, 1898.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Austin A. Smith*, Company F, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frederick B. Schubert*, Company C, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Principal Musician *John F. Mullins*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward V. Jackson*, Band, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Second-class Private *Harry O. Conner*, Company A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Sergeant *Samuel M. Cramer*, Company H, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles L. Paschall*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Joseph Ernest*, Company C, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Clarence E. Fore*, Company A, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby

confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles S. Kinnan*, Company E, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Rolla E. Funston*, Company A, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *C. E. Lindsay*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Joseph L. Lyon*, Company C, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William L. Joughin*, Company M, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John G. Smith*, Company H, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Robert B. Hargis*, Company H, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Wilfred T. Rains*, Company G, 34th Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert Williams*, Company G, 8th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, to date November 1, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Harvey J. Simmons*, Company A, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edmund Esrey*, Troop C, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now sick at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *R. C. Lemon*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 120, October 17, 1898, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

36. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *Gilmore G. Scranton*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 263, paragraph 28, November 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

37. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *William C. Dunn*, 160th Indiana

Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 43, November 4, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *James R. Waties*, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned to duty with the 2d Army Corps, and will report by telegraph to the commanding general of that corps for assignment to the command of a brigade. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *John W. Cox*, assistant surgeon, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898.

40. Leave of absence to January 1, 1899, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Walter K. Brice*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Andrew G. Hammond*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from mustering duty in the State of Connecticut, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George J. Newgarden*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Savannah, Georgia, will return to his proper station, Fort Adams, Rhode Island. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Emil K. Johnson*, Company B, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph B. Lang*, Battery I, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Morgan, Alabama, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Mills*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Camp Hawley, Galveston, Texas, is transferred to the Hospital

Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John S. Ball*, Troop I, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. He will be sent to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and will report upon his arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty with the Hospital Corps Company of Instruction.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Neville Craig*, Company H, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Keogh, Montana, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Bombach*, Company —, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph Toronto*, Company E, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *B. C. Froman*, Company D, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be sent to Governors Island, New York. He will report upon his arrival at that station to Lieutenant *Walter L. Clarke*, Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Artificer *Charles Sana*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Ulysses G. Burch*, Company H, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *C. R. McCoy*, Company H, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Principal Musician *Burr Custer*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Joseph H. Ash*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *J. G. MacGonigle*, Company G, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Artificer *Max Marciniak*, Company D, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William Dell*, Company E, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

55. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert E. Callan*, 5th U. S. Artillery.

56. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Ira A. Shimer*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John C. Greenewalt*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, for transportation on first transport sailing for Santiago, Cuba, and upon arrival there will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *David C. Peyton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, now on duty at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will proceed to this city on official business pertaining to the Medical Department, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry C. Goodwin*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John M. Arbuckle*, Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, Jersey City, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Shunk*, Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, now on furlough at his home, Reading, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

62. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *William P. Pence*, 5th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 20, November 7, 1898, Department of Porto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *James W. Dillon* and *Joseph A. O'Brien*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Max F. Wolf*, Company F, 21st U. S. Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William McMahon*, Company H, 4th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home, Columbus, Wisconsin, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter W. Hoover*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin F. Flanders*, Company I, 7th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at Denver, Colorado, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Corporal *Gustave A. Wyland*, Company H, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Hot Springs, Arkansas, will be admitted to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company H, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Robert Reh fuss*, Company C, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William L. Mitten*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Otto M. Heukrodt*, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Jeremiah J. Hannon*, Company E, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company E, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *James F. Farrell*, Company D, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company D, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, the 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, under the command of Captain *S. S. Sample*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Anniston, Alabama, on duty with the 4th Corps, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Army Corps, for

duty. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Elmer H. Kauffman*, 17th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Simonds*, Company I, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at his home, Boston, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. Shuler*, Company L, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. He will be directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *J. E. Maxfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that place, for duty.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ellis Duncan*, assistant surgeon, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 69, Special Orders. No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, relative to 1st Lieutenant *William Wallace*, 7th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Pennsylvania, and will proceed to Augusta, Georgia, and report to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty and command of the 1st Division of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey to consist of—

Captain *William H. Coffin*, 5th U. S. Artillery;

First Lieutenant *George G. Gatley*, 5th U. S. Artillery, and,

Second Lieutenant *Hugh La F. Applewhite*, 6th U. S. Artillery, is appointed to meet at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, December 3, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable for the purpose of reporting upon and fixing the accountability.

ity for the loss of certain Quartermaster's property for which 1st Lieutenant *William F. M. Rogers*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, was responsible while serving as Acting Quartermaster of the Signal Corps detachment at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia.

The junior member of the board will act as recorder.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 272, November 17, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *Frank B. McCoy*, 2d U. S. Infantry, upon being relieved from duty with the National Guard of Minnesota, to proceed to join his company on December 5, 1898, is amended so as to direct him to join his proper station on January 1, 1899.

83. Leave of absence for one month is granted Major *Charles Richard*, surgeon, U. S. Army.

84. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Major *William R. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month is granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. W. Pinkham*, U. S. Army.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers, to take effect this date, are made upon the mutual application of the officers concerned:

Second Lieutenant *William W. Fiscus, jr.*, from the 2d U. S. Infantry to the 19th U. S. Infantry, Company K;

Second Lieutenant *John G. Workizer*, from the 19th U. S. Infantry to the 2d U. S. Infantry, Company C.

The officers named will proceed to join the regiments to which they are transferred upon the expiration of their present sick leaves.

87. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Hugh A. Love*, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 149, November 23, 1898, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

88. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *L. K. Emerson*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 139, October 11, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John A. Harman*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed on or about December 10, 1898, to the headquarters of

the 2d Army Corps, and report to the commanding general for assignment to duty as chief ordnance officer of the 1st Division of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *George H. Steel*, 19th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Evansville, Indiana, for temporary duty as recruiting officer at that place, to relieve 2d Lieutenant *Samuel McP. Rutherford*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, who, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to join his troop. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

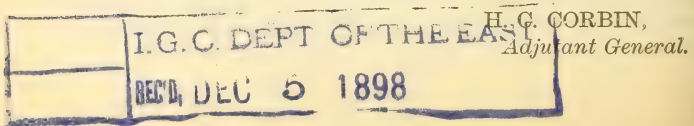
91. By direction of the President, Captain *Ralph L. Spotts*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required.

92. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Alvord Van P. Anderson*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Lexington, Kentucky, and report in person to Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer in connection with the muster out of service of Kentucky volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

93. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Edward A. Southall*, U. S. Army, will report in person to Major *Nathan S. Jarvis*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, New York City, New York, for transportation on first transport sailing for Ponce, Porto Rico, and, upon arrival, will report to the commanding officer, 19th U. S. Infantry, District of Ponce, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

94. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Artificer *John L. Dame*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 284. } Washington, December 2, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Arlie E. McFadden* and *David C. West*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps;

Privates *Oscar T. D. Brandt* and *Nicholas H. Remackel*, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *William Mellon*, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps;

Private *Louis W. Frentzel*, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Fred Lambrecht*, Band, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Joseph O. Walling*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Lincoln Collier*, Company F, 10th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

3. Private *George A. Reubelt*, Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 17th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin S. Ross*, Light Battery F, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hamilton, New York, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regula-

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tions the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

5. Private *George H. Palmer*, Company —, 17th U. S. Infantry, now attached to Company M, 19th U. S. Infantry, at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to that company and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James J. O'Hearn*, Company B, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

7. Private *William F. McMullen*, Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Schuyler, New York, is upon his own application transferred to Battery C, 2d U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Savannah, Georgia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

8. Private *John F. Gorman*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that post.

9. Sergeant *John Fraser*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred as private to Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that post.

10. Private *Edward J. Doyle*, Company B, 12th U. S. Infantry, Fort Niobrara, Nebraska, is transferred to Troop K, 1st U. S. Cavalry, stationed at that post.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Phi. H. Standish*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, Delaware, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the hospital, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *John A. Battersby*, Ordnance Detachment, now at Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, will be sent to Columbia Arsenal, Tennessee, and will report upon arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *George D. Lockie*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, 531 Wells street, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. Private *Thomas Honan*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, is transferred to Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery. He will be sent to the station of that battery, Huntsville, Alabama, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding officer for duty.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wallace H. Jones*, Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be sick in hospital at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. Private *George McMulkin*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Schuyler, New York, is transferred to Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, at that post.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harrie R. Williams*, Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now at Fort Delaware, Delaware, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Andrew Updegraff*, Hospital Corps, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Fort Myer, Virginia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

19. Principal Musician *Agostino D'Aintolo*, Band, 2d U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred as private to the Governors Island Band, at Fort Columbus, New York. The entire cost (transportation and increased cost of subsistence) attending this transfer will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay roll of the organization to which he is transferred.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 279, November 26, 1898, from this

office, relating to Commissary Sergeant *John C. Walser*, is amended to read, "will be sent to Fort Caswell, North Carolina," instead of "Fort Schuyler, New York."

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Carey Congdon*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *George B. Lawrason*, U. S. Army, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and upon arrival report in person to Brigadier General *George W. Davis*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty with the troops going to Pinar del Rio, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Privates *Ralph Morley*, Company B, and *Arthur J. Wink*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *John R. Miller*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Louis H. Dierking*, Troop K, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Daniel J. Roerty*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Privates *Denis F. Breslin* and *James E. Neal*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Sam Houston, Texas;

Private *Osgyperan G. Arekhian*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *James J. Smith*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *William F. Supernor*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Cyrus O'Brian*, Company L, 2d U. S. Infantry, Aniston, Alabama;

Private *William C. Bradshaw*, Company L, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *James B. Booth*, Company E, 12th U. S. Infantry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *George H. Davenport*, Company H, 15th U. S. Infantry, Nuevitas, Cuba;

Private *Joseph McSheffry*, Company F, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *George Ness*, Company A, and *August F. Hauri*, Company I, 19th U. S. Infantry, Ponce, Porto Rico;

Private *Harry Perry*, Governors Island Band, Fort Columbus, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ora E. Clark*, Company L, 1st Colorado Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *Alvin Barton*, Company —, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date November 8, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Everett P. Stone*, Company F; *Jacob R. Smith* and *William S. Stryker*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph Meehan*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Love Culbreth*, Company B, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George W. Brown*, Company I, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George N. Holden*, Company D, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Edward F. Chick*, Company C, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Boon Akin*, Company L, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *D. Earle Johnson*, Company G, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harold B. Knowles*, Company C, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles N. Woodside*, Company H, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be in confinement at Madison Barracks, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer, Madison Barracks, New York, by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 275, November 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Class Sergeant *J. W. Weed*, 6th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is revoked.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Sergeant *J. W. Weed*, 17th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Wood*, Company G, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at McMinnville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are ordered:

Colonel *Charles R. Greenleaf*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty in charge of the Medical Supply Depot, San Francisco, California, and from duty as chief surgeon of troops in the field, and will repair to this city and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army for assignment to duty:

Colonel *William H. Forwood*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty as attending surgeon at the U. S. Soldiers' Home, near this city, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, without delay, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, for assignment to duty as chief surgeon of that department, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Johnson V. D. Middleton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, upon his retirement from active service;

Major *Louis A. La Garde*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Fort Robinson, Nebraska, and will repair to this city and report in person to the governor of the U. S. Soldiers' Home for duty as attending surgeon;

Major *John D. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty pertaining to the muster out of Pennsylvania Volunteers and from the operation of paragraph 55, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, and assume charge of the Medi-

cal Supply Depot at that place, relieving Lieutenant Colonel *Johnson V. D. Middleton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, from the temporary charge of the same.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 41, Special Orders, No. 278, November 25, 1898, from this office, relating to Colonel *Charles R. Greenleaf*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, is revoked.

40. By direction of the President, Major *William H. Arthur*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Major and surgeon, U. S. Army), is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898.

41. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Samuel Seay, jr.*, 14th U. S. Infantry.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet at the call of the president thereof at the Army Building, New York City, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence;

Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Assistant Quartermaster General;

Lieutenant Colonel *Justus M. Brown*, Deputy Surgeon General;

Major *Daniel M. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army.
The junior officer will act as recorder.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John McE. Hyde*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will report in person to Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Building, New York City, by Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Charles Rhodes*, Company A, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Benjamin F. Walters*, Company G, and Corporal *Will J. Harrison*, Company K, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Benjamin Donaldson*, Company B, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *E. Graham Caldwell*, Company A, and *William H. Simpson*, Company D, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph Ackermann*, Company B, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Maurice V. Campbell*, Company D, and *Lewis Kline*, Company L, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Mark J. Lowrey* and *Zemis R. McDonald*, Company F, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Arthur L. Anderson*, Company C; Corporal *Richard O. Myers*, Company H, and Private *Joseph Grillo*, Company L, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. O. Westfall*, Company L, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Peter H. Van der Werf*, 17th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant Major *Albert Van Kelst*, Sergeant *L. Vanness Watts*, Corporal *Joel B. Bolton*, Musician *George A. Johnson*, Privates *William G. Bayard*, *William D. Miller*, and *Elmer E. Royle*, Company A; Corporal *James P. Gibson*, Private *Richard H. Colyer*, Company B; Corporal *Henry A. Kiersey*, Privates *George Booth*, *William Cummings*, *James J. Fitzpatrick*, *Edward J. Hill*, *Maurice Holloran*, *John McDonald*, *Michael J. Regan*, *Anton C. Ritz*, and *Harry A. Stivers*, Company D; Corporal *Otto Friggins*, Privates *Walter Davie* and *James C. Hooker*, Company E; Corporal *William B. Dill*, Company F; Private *Samuel W. Moore*, Company G; Quartermaster Sergeant *Benjamin F. Cramer*, Company H; Corporal *August H. Bahr*, Privates *Charles E. Golden*, *Raymond Miller*, and *Will-*

iam A. Patterson, Company I; Sergeant *Will T. Jackson*, Corporal *Louis P. Hill*, Musicians *Thomas H. Edmond* and *Joseph C. Snyder*, Company L; Quartermaster Sergeant *Martin T. Coolahan* and Musician *Charles F. Zeeb*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Marshall Wallis*, Corporal *Robert Wallis*, and Private *Edward Wallis*, Company L, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Willis C. Fugett*, Company D, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Frederick H. Stubbe*, Company C, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Charles Gasser, jr.*, Company B, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Harry A. Macon*, Company E, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Lauchlin Davis*, Company M, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Harry L. Welty*, Company I, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Roudinot Ream*, Company C, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William Hull*, Company C, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Principal Musician *Frank B. Pratt*, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Salem Heilman*, surgeon, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *H. S. Chadwick*, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect December 1, 1898.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James Wood*, assistant surgeon, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from further duty in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and will proceed to join his regiment without delay. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the President, Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, as Major and Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, to take effect December 2, 1898.

55. Leave of absence to include January 15, 1899, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Walter H. Gordon*, 18th U. S. Infantry.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Elias H. Parsons*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will assume charge of the Quartermaster's subdepot, Saint Asaph, Virginia, under the instructions from the Quartermaster General.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 248, October 20, 1898, from this office, directing Major *James L. Wilson*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed from New York City to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for consultation is amended so as to instruct him to return

to New York City upon the completion of the official business contemplated.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John F. Madden*, 5th U. S. Infantry, will report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster, New York City, for assignment to duty as Acting Assistant Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the U. S. Hospital ship "Bay State."

59. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Peter W. Davison*, 22d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 232, October 1, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include December 31, 1898, on account of sickness.

60. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *William G. Ball*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 136, October 20, 1898, from Headquarters, 7th Army Corps, is extended to include December 6, 1898, on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the President, Captain *William G. Ball*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required.

62. By direction of the President Captain *Theodosius Bothin*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. The leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Ariosto A. Wiley*, 5th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 63, October 26, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

64. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Roy T. Taylor*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, now at the Dupont Powder Works, Wilmington, Delaware, will make one visit to Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts, in connection with special tests of smokeless powder for the

Ordnance Department, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ira C. Brown*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to and take station at Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Coulling*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and take passage on the U. S. transport "Mobile," making one trip thereon with a view to inspecting and reporting any deficiency that may be found on said ship, and upon completion of this duty he will return to his proper station, New York City. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Lawson M. Fuller*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits each week during December, 1898, and January, 1899, from Baltimore, Maryland, to North Point, Maryland, on official business pertaining to the inspection of seacoast gun-carriages, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Matt R. Peterson*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, now at Savannah, Georgia, will proceed to and take station at Matanzas, Cuba, for duty as Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Edward Hunter*, Deputy Judge Advocate General, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 5, current series, Department of Porto Rico, is extended one month.

71. Leave of absence for three days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel W. Fargo*, Company I, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his

station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George O. Squier*, 3d U. S. Artillery, upon his discharge from the Volunteer Army of the United States as Lieutenant Colonel, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, December 7, 1898, will continue on temporary duty in this city under the instructions of the Chief Signal Officer of the Army.

74. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herman Miller*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Julian F. Scott*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Ship "Missouri," will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge No. 39 Whitehall street, New York, New York. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

76. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *John C. Raymond*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 233, October 3, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 31, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Marshall W. Wood*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is recalled, and he will comply with paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 277, November 23, 1898, from this office.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James C. Read*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as commissary on the transport "Massachusetts," and will proceed at once to Cramp's Ship Yard, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for duty as commissary on the transport "Mobile" now at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *J. Warren Pugh*, Company M, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer Company M, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and

account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will on conclusion of treatment send him to his proper station as required by Circular No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Winfield M. Clark*, Additional Paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, accompanied by his authorized clerk, will proceed to such points in Pennsylvania as may be necessary to assist Major *Harry L. Rogers*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, in the payment of the several companies of the 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough, on muster of October 31, 1898, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station, Washington, District of Columbia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *James M. Lancaster*, 4th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

82. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Clarence E. Dentler*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 22, October 5, 1898, Rio Pedras, Puerto Rico, is extended seven days.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frank Heath*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Sandy Hook Proving Ground, New Jersey, to Watervliet Arsenal, New York, to inspect and report upon such tools as are now worn out and unserviceable, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, now on duty at the Dupont Powder Works, Wilmington, Delaware, will make one visit to Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in connection with the subject of charging shells, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William L. Alexander*, Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, assistant to the Commissary General of Subsistence, will proceed to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to

the Subsistence Department, and on completion thereof return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Ernest S. Olmsted*, battalion adjutant, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

87. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *E. S. Paxson*, 1st Montana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 78, October 15, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended to include December 2, 1898.

88. First Lieutenant *E. S. Paxson*, 1st Montana Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect December 2, 1898, the date of the expiration of his leave of absence.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Colonel *John D. Eddy*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;
Lieutenant Colonel *H. C. Clark*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Jerry C. South*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;
Second Lieutenant *H. A. Lett*, 23d Kansas Volunteer Infantry.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 285. Washington, December 3, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Charles Edward Lucke*, Company B, and Corporal *Ralph Smith*, Company F, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Benton M. Johnson*, Company M, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Stewart H. Lewis*, Company F, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Christian Peterson*, Troop A, Utah Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *William A. Haycraft*, Company G, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *John F. Miller*, Company —, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Morgan*, Company B, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

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by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *S. Mott Stuart*, Company A, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Richard A. Miller*, Company B, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Luke H. Ford*, Company H, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Stephen Burland*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George M. Atlas*, Company L, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William O. Wright, jr.*, Company A, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Emmet B. Foulk*, Company H, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *William R. Martin*, Company G, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ervin R. Hammer*, Company B, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Hospital Steward *Gilbert V. Carpenter*, 34th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Albert M. Leighner*, Company M, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles P. Garst*, Company L, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *J. A. Heiss*, Battery B, Utah Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Gus S. Kaufman* and *M. S. Ray*, Company D, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William B. Liles*, Company M, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Harris Houser*, Company K, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Allan B. Chapman*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *Frank Hays*, Company C, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Samuel J. Cockerille, jr.*, Company —, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank W. Freeman*, Company D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Henry W. Koch*, Company B; *Frederick Aaron Lasher* and *R. A. Parkinson*, Company E, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Ralph Chapman*, Company C, and *George C. Simonson*, Company F, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Julius Bolt*, Company L, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *W. A. Cock*, Company F, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *William H. Hewett*, Company K, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Henry J. Hunt*, Company M, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the tele-

graphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Class Private *Augustus U. Dunning*, 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Paul D. Mills*, 4th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from duty as aid-de camp on the staff of Brigadier General *O. H. Ernst*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed without delay to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for muster out of the service. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *James W. Smith*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, upon the request of the Board of Commissioners of the Soldiers' Home in the District of Columbia, the Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation to this city to enable them to enter the Soldiers' Home, the cost to be refunded by the treasurer of the home, for—

James Parsloe, late private, Company H, 1st U. S. Infantry, from Hot Springs, South Dakota;

James McGrath, late private, Company G, 14th U. S. Infantry, from Leeds Point, New Jersey.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *F. W. Woodring*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *J. B. Bellinger*, Depot Quartermaster, at Savannah, Georgia, for temporary duty under his direction in the Quartermaster's Department.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *W. E. Hopkins*, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;
First Lieutenant *F. L. Albritton*, assistant surgeon, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George H. Beasley*, Company D, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at

Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

35. Private *Walter K. Bagby*, Light Battery C, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, is upon his own application transferred to Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Monroe, Virginia. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, but the expenses of the transfer from the place of landing to Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be borne by the soldier.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry E. Jenkins*, Company D, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Bedloe's Island, New York Harbor, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James J. Dawson*, Company D, 19th U. S. Infantry, Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. Sergeant *Frank B. Edwards*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is, upon his own application, transferred as private to Battery H, 4th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, Fort Monroe, Virginia. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

39. Private *Merton H. Miller*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, attached to Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 24, Special Orders, No. 275, November 21, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Robert C. Milburn*, Company B, 13th U. S. Infantry, is amended to read, is "transferred to the Hospital Corps and detailed as acting hospital steward."

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John Keith*, Company I, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce,

Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Clarence L. Proctor*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on December 20, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Robert L. McCurdy*, Troop A, and *Arthur Suter*, Troop D, 2d U. S. Cavalry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Clarence W. Shaw*, Hospital Corps, Provisional Ambulance Company, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer in charge of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Miles Francis*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick Ellis*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Jackson Barracks, Louisiana, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Robert M. Fields*, Corporals *Edwin Ward*, Company G, and *George W. Harris*, Company H, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William Smith*, Privates *Simon J. Loughman*, Company G, and *Frank Whitfield*, Company H, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George A. Wardwell*, Company K, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *J. M. Dority*, Company A, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *George B. Drake*, Company F, and *Thomas M. Gibbs*, Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Edward M. Bell*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Guy R. McCord*, Company A, and 1st Sergeant *Charles W. Herndon*, Company C, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

Private *J. E. Dawson*, Company B; Corporals *Jesse W. Rickerson*, Company C; *Charles W. Kelly*, *Clifford W. Ryburn*; Privates *Norman Briggs*, *Key Couch*, *John Dixon*, *James P. Mayfield*, *John G. Rolston*, Company D; Corporal *Nathaniel Burton, jr.*, Company H, and Private *W. E. Porter*, Company L, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

48. So much of Special Orders, No. 282, paragraph 39, November 30, 1898, from this office, as relates to 2d Lieutenant *John A. Vinson*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read "2d Lieutenant *Jay A. Vinson*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry."

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Theodore Fifer*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel Jacobs*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Jackson Barracks, Louisiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry O. Belcher*, Battery E, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Wadsworth, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the

commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

52. Artificer *William Reynoldson*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, now attached to Battery I, 3d U. S. Artillery, at Angel Island, California, is transferred as private to that battery, and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Stone*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Camp Hawley, Galveston, Texas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

54. Private *August Behrens*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Fort Riley, Kansas, is transferred to Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, stationed at that post, and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

First-class Private *John W. H. Gunn*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Leslie C. Armour*, Troop B, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Meade Bolling*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Andy Deitz*, Battery G, 4th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Albert De Witt*, Battery A, 6th U. S. Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida;

Private *Grayson W. Brown*, Hospital Corps, Bedloes Island, New York Harbor;

Private *Chaim D. Greenberg*, Hospital Corps, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *James W. Pollard*, Hospital Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Lewis H. Randall*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division Hospital, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *E. G. Pierson*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 166, November 7, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

57. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Clarence E. Myers*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 239, paragraph 93, October 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include November 4, 1898, on account of sickness.

58. Under the provisions of section 14 of the act of Congress approved April 22, 1898, and upon the adverse report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, Captain *Hubert A. W. Mebane*, 3d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, is, by direction of the President, discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William M. Wright*, 2d U. S. Infantry (Captain and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers), will report in person without delay to Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John A. Perry*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, is still further extended two months on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month on account of sickness, to date from December 5, 1898, is granted Major *Wallace Neff*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

62. By direction of the President, Major *Wallace Neff*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 5, 1899, his services being no longer re-

quired. He will repair to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Major *Egbert B. Savage*, 8th U. S. Infantry.

64. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *André W. Brewster*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers.

65. The leave of absence granted Captain *John E. Taylor*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 74, November 8, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *C. B. Millhoff*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Johnstown, Pennsylvania, to Washington, District of Columbia, and upon arrival will report in person to the commanding officer, Washington Barracks, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Signal Corps are ordered:

Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, Assistant Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty in this city, and will proceed as early as practicable to Havana, Cuba, and there take station, and carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army;

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert Craig*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, upon the completion of his special duties in the Department of Santiago, will proceed to New York City, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the East, for duty as signal officer of that Department, to relieve 2d Lieutenant *Walter L. Clarke*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Lieutenant *Clarke*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Richard P. Strong*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, chief signal officer, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Harry E. Wilkins*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Des Moines, Iowa, will proceed to Washington, Dis-

trict of Columbia, and upon arrival will report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, for instructions prior to his assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. Leave of absence for one month is granted Major *John R. Lynch*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from duty pertaining to the muster out of New York volunteers, and will proceed to join their respective regiments:

Major *Charles A. Coolidge*, 7th U. S. Infantry;

Major *Jesse C. Chance*, 5th U. S. Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John J. O'Connell*, 21st U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Martin L. Hellings*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, will proceed from Key West, Florida, to Havana, Cuba, where he will carry out such special instructions as he may receive from the Chief Signal Officer of the Army, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his station in Key West, Florida. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James C. Read*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as Acting Assistant Quartermaster of the U. S. transport "Massachusetts," and is assigned to duty as Acting Assistant Quartermaster on the U. S. transport "Mobile," and will perform that duty in addition to his duty pertaining to the Subsistence Department on that transport, relieving Captain *Arthur Thompson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties. Captain *Thompson*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to New York City and report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster at that place, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the U. S. transport "Massachusetts." The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Benjamin J. Edger, jr.*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Washington

Barracks, District of Columbia, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Harold W. Cowper*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *Gil E. Pagan*, Company G, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry, to the 17th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *E. D. Andrews*, 5th Company, and Private *Walter C. Graves*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, as relates to Corporal *W. B. Lenter*, Company F, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read "*Corporal W. B. Senter.*"

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men will be discharged the service of the United States by the Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army:

First-class Sergeant *E. C. Gee* and Sergeant *C. K. Foster*, 4th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant Secretary of War directs that the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, be, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect upon receipt of this order at the posts, and repair to their homes:

Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Dwight Tuttle*, Tybee Island, Georgia;

Commissary Sergeant *Thomas H. Forsyth*, Fort Bayard, New Mexico;

Hospital Steward *Charles O. Schott*, Allegheny Arsenal, Pennsylvania;

Sergeant *Charles Kimball*, Company I, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Sergeant *Charles H. Pemberton*, Company I, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Corporal *Elmer H. Morse*, Company E, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journeys are necessary for the public service.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Captain *William A. Tucker*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 71, October 7, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended two months.

81. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank A. Wilcox*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 259, November 2, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John C. Muhlenberg*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will proceed to Richmond and such other points in the State of Virginia as may be necessary, to pay, on muster-out, the 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, and on completion of this duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles E. Stanton*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in New York City and will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, reporting *en route* to the Paymaster General of the Army in this city for instructions, and to the Commanding General and chief paymaster, Department of California, San Francisco, California, from which point he

will proceed on his journey in charge of public funds. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Preble, Maine, and will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to Major *Alfred E. Bradley*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in command of the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," Army Building, 39 Whitehall street, New York City, New York, for assignment to duty thereon. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ezra Woodruff*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, and will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer, State of New York, Army Building, 39 Whitehall street, New York City, New York, for duty pertaining to the muster out of New York volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 43, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Harry C. More*, U. S. Army, is amended to read "*Henry C. More*."

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Tracy C. Dickson*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to New York City and report in person, in due time, to Colonel *Alfred Mordecai*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, president of the board of officers appointed to meet at the Army Building, at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, December 6, 1898, to consider the question of the adoption of a uniform caliber for small arms, etc. Lieutenant *Dickson* will act as recorder of the board, and upon the completion of the duty will join his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James W. Keir*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, having reported to the Quartermaster General of the Army for duty as medical superintendent of transports, in accordance with paragraph 91, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, will proceed from Washington, District of Columbia, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on public business pertaining to the transport service, and thence to New York City, New York, where he will take station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Harry A. Smith*, 5th U. S. Infantry, will, upon his muster out as Major, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect upon his muster out as Major, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry A. Smith*, 5th U. S. Infantry.

92. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty in this city, November 7, 1898, of 1st Lieutenant *Percival G. Lowe*, 18th U. S. Infantry, is announced.

93. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Robert H. Beckham*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

94. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Richard R. Steedman*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 154, November 3, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

95. Captain *Vola G. Trimble*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, now in hospital at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will proceed to his home, Somerset, Kentucky, and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

96. The leave of absence granted Captain *William Gadsby*, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 87, October 25, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended to include December 3, 1898.

97. Captain *William Gadsby*, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

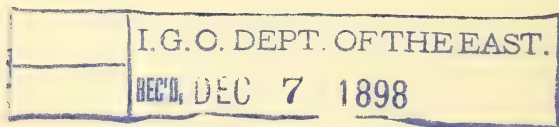
98. Leave of absence for two months from December 10, 1898, is granted Captain *Richard B. Levy*, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

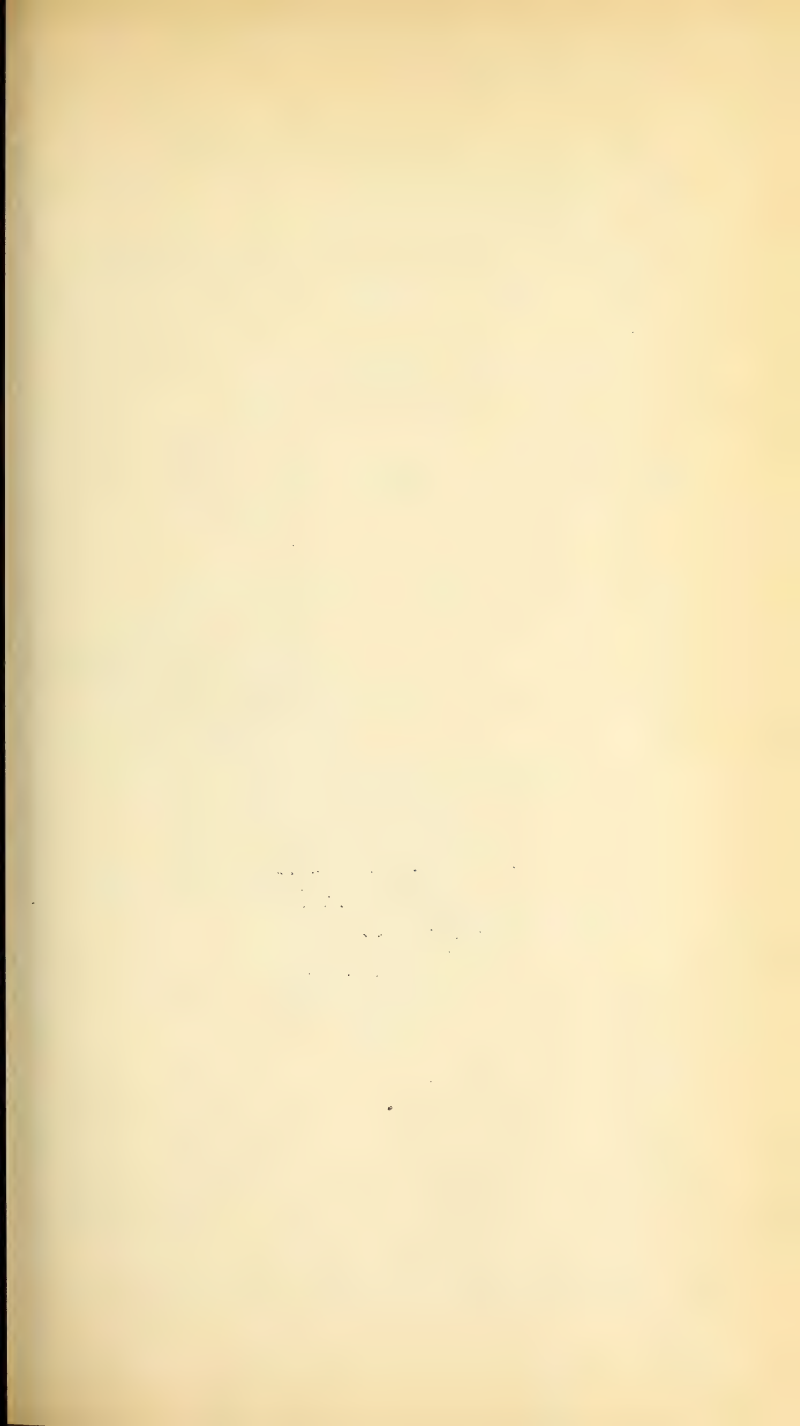
99. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles H. Madden*, Company D, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

100. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Howard R. Gessner*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 286. } Washington, December 5, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Frank Moffett*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *John Widera*, Troop C, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Robinson, Nebraska;

Private *Wilbur C. Dodge*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *Laurence E. Schaefer*, Troop A, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *Joseph Southery*, Troop F, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *King C. Boykin*, Troop K, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Milligan Comstock*, Battery A, 1st U. S. Artillery, Key West Barracks, Florida;

Privates *Fred Fischer* and *Charles F. Fister*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *George Breitmeyer*, Company E, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *William Kutil*, Company H, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Peter Curley*, Company D; *Martin J. Monaghan*, Company I, and *Asa P. Stickle*, Company K, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Privates *Gustave R. Fahrion*, Company E, and *William C. McCall*, Company L, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Alfred Cecetka*, Company M, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *James G. De Priest*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Dean Vogl*, Company A, 22d U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick C. Pilling*, Company G, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at

Adjutant General

Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William E. Hoyns*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William J. Turner*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Terrence M. Flood*, Lexington, Kentucky, will be sent to Chickamauga Park, Georgia, and upon arrival there will report to Captain *E. C. McDowell*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, for duty.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William W. Abbott*, Company —, 17th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of William Flinn, 1942 Forbes avenue, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. Private *Charles E. Hunt*, Company D, 21st U. S. Infantry, now in this city, is transferred to Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia. He will report to the commanding officer of that battery for duty.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named privates of the Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Company, 2d Army Corps, now supposed to be at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of their station:

Privates *Fred A. Chadwick*, *Wm. H. T. Needham*, and *George Parent*.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph Mast*, Company D, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Zeigelbauer*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin H. Taylor*, Troop F, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Boise Barracks, Idaho, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Anthony McNulty*, Battery E, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles W. Williamson*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be on furlough at his home in Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Adams, Rhode Island, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay. •

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 245, October 17, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank L. Wilford*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, now in Provisional Ambulance Company, Ponce, Porto Rico, instead of "Anniston, Alabama."

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Samuel P. Havens* and *Frederick W. Townsend*, now at U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at that hospital.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Patrick J. Blake* (appointed December 1, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Troop F, 4th U. S. Cavalry), now at Boise Barracks, Idaho, will be sent to Vancouver Barracks, Washington, and upon his arrival there, will report to the Commanding General, Department of the Columbia, for assignment to duty at Fort St. Michael, Alaska, to which post he will be sent.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Eugene Turcot*, Omaha, Nebraska, will be sent to Vancouver Barracks, Washington, and upon arrival there will report to the Commanding General, Department of the Columbia, for assignment to duty at Fort St. Michael, Alaska, to which post he will be sent.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *James J. Greene* (appointed December 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Band, 6th U. S. Infantry), now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, to San Juan, Porto Rico;

Commissary Sergeant *John Bitter* (appointed December 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Troop A, 2d U. S. Cavalry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Fajordos, Porto Rico;

Commissary Sergeant *Hermann E. Ensslin* (appointed December 1, 1898, from Quartermaster Sergeant, Troop F, 3d U. S. Cavalry), now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, to Isabella Segunda, Porto Rico;

Commissary Sergeant *William H. Faringhy* (appointed December 1, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company C, 16th U. S. Infantry), now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, to Caquas, Porto Rico;

Commissary Sergeant *Frank McCaffrey* (appointed December 1, 1898, from Sergeant Major, 10th U. S. Infantry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Guayama, Porto Rico;

Commissary Sergeant *Frederick Wagner* (appointed December 1, 1898, from Sergeant, Troop D, 5th U. S. Cavalry), now at San Juan, Porto Rico, to Humacao, Porto Rico;

Commissary Sergeant *Gustave Woenne* (appointed December 1, 1898, from Quartermaster Sergeant, 6th U. S. Cavalry), now at Huntsville, Alabama, to Arecibo, Porto Rico.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 265, November 9, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *William Harper*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Harper*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in confinement at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John L. Schon*, 20th U. S. Infantry, having been found by an examining board unfitted for promotion on account of physical disability contracted in the line of duty, will proceed to his home and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *John B. Lobdell*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 68, November 1, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

23. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry Burgess*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army.

24. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Walter L. Fanning*, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 168, November 9, 1898, 2d Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

25. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles O. Brokaw*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 250, paragraph 6, October 22, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

26. Leave of absence for seven days on account of sickness is granted Captain *W. A. Hankins*, 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now in hospital at Knoxville, Tennessee.

27. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *W. A. Huntley*, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 86, October 24, 1898, Department of the Pacific, 8th Army Corps, is extended on account of sickness to include December 31, 1898.

28. Second Lieutenant *W. A. Huntley*, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect December 31, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, as of that date.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *T. B. Birdsong*, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 76, Special Orders, No. 269, November 14, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Robert H. Beckham*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert H. Beckham*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Benbrook, Texas, will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, for duty as an assistant in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Charles W. Penrose*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Charles R. Greenleaf*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, and to such other places as may be necessary, for the purpose of inspecting the Medical Department at that and other stations.

Officers of the Army will render Colonel *Greenleaf* every facility to enable him to effect the object of his inspections, and he is authorized to hire such wheel transportation at the various places he may visit as may be necessary in the performance of the duty required of him.

Upon the completion of the inspections, Colonel *Greenleaf* will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles A. Grabert*, Troop L, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, will be discharged without honor from the

service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jesse Peavy*, Company I, 18th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John S. Rice*, Company L, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant Major *Leo C. Jennings*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Alexandria Jackson*, Company C, 9th Battalion, Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Havana, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station:

Corporal *Thomas J. Hart*, Musician *Claude H. Faulkner*, and Private *Harry L. Skates*, Company D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *George H. Webb*, Company H, and *Oliver H. Simon*, Company K, 15th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be in confinement at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding

officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

41. The journey from Ponce, Porto Rico, to Santiago, Cuba, and thence to New York City, New York, *via* Havana, Cuba, October 26 to November 8, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Edward A. Southall*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Forrest H. Hathaway*, Special Inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed at once from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, *via* Washington, District of Columbia, to Jacksonville, Florida, and from thence to such other points as may be necessary, to carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. Lieutenant Colonel *Hathaway* is appointed special inspector under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable Quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at the points visited under this order, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. Under instructions from the President, Captain *Solomon E. Sparrow*, 21st U. S. Infantry, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Colonel *Charles C. Byrne*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet at Fort Columbus, New York, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board. Upon the completion of his examination, Captain *Sparrow* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The travel from Camp George G. Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, to Athens, Georgia, between November 15 and 20, 1898, performed by Captain *Don A. Dodge*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Don A. Dodge*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, now at Athens, Georgia, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty on the staff of the Commanding General,

3d Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. Leave of absence for fourteen days is granted 2d Lieutenant *Edwin Landon*, 2d U. S. Artillery.

47. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Joseph F. Janda*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 158, November 8, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

48. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Herbert S. Foster*, 20th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 20, Special Orders, No. 281, November 29, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *John T. Booth*, U. S. Army, is revoked.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *F. Medina Ferrer*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to Brigadier General *George W. Davis*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty with troops under orders for Pinar del Rio, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Wallace S. Chapman*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to Denver, Colorado, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William L. Alexander*, Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Savannah, Georgia, on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, Subsistence Department, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Havana, Cuba, will make not to exceed one journey each day, on official business pertaining to the Subsistence Department, to Marianao, Cuba, during the time

the U. S. troops are stationed in that vicinity, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Randolph M. Myers*, U. S. Army, now on sick leave of absence in this city, will proceed to New York City, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. Hospital Ship "Bay State," for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Isaac W. Brewer*, U. S. Army, now in this city on sick leave of absence, will proceed to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

56. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *George L. Egan*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 261, November 4, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

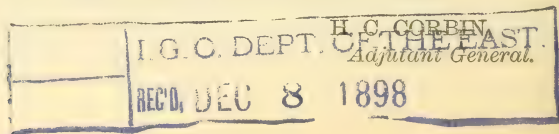
57. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect December 4, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Arthur R. Joyce*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John R. Hicks*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to Fort Crook, Nebraska, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

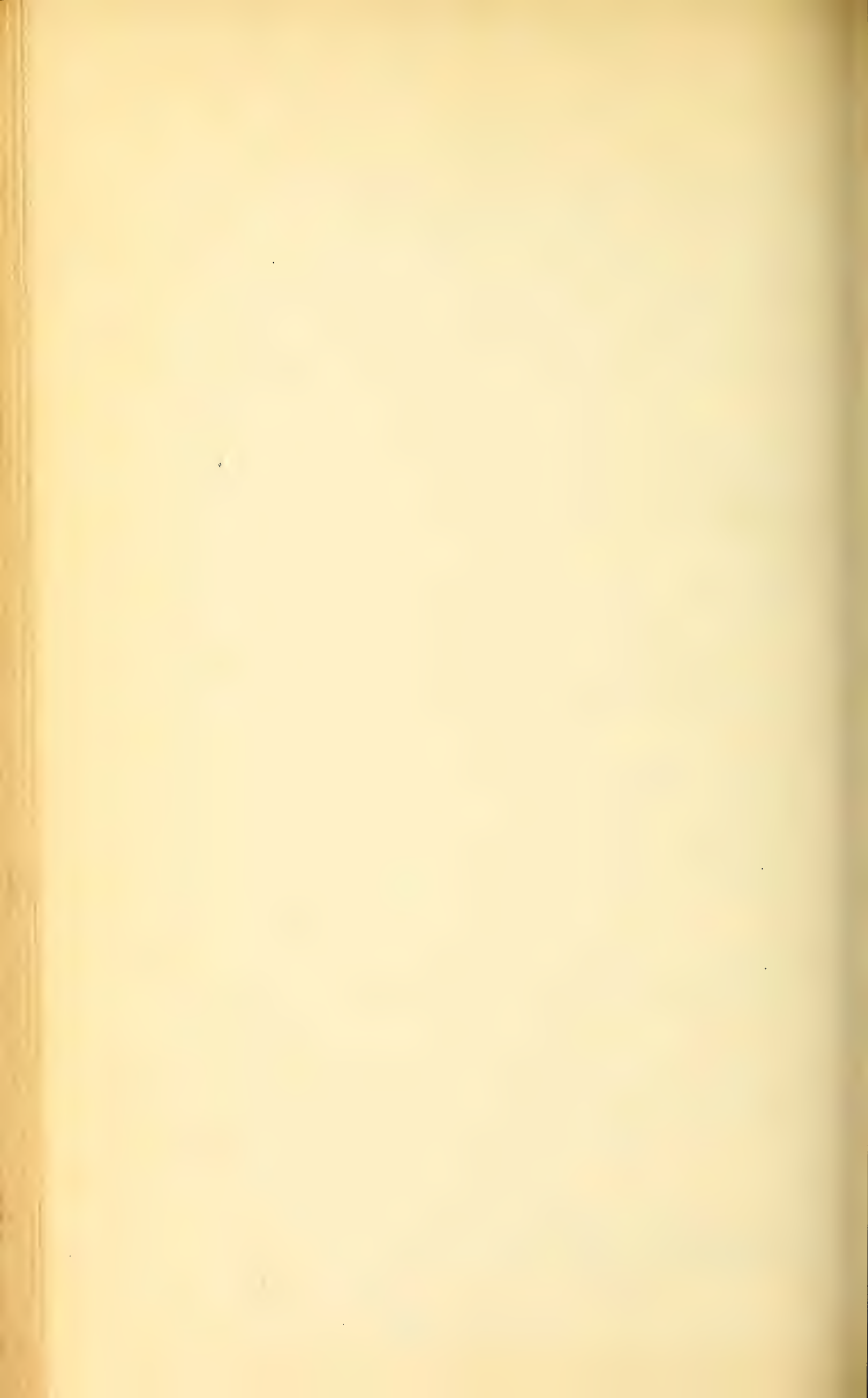
59. The leave of absence granted Captain *Frederick Keye*, 1st North Dakota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 83, October 20, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended on account of sickness to include December 5, 1898.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick Keye*, 1st North Dakota Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect December 5, 1898.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 287. } Washington, December 6, 1898.

1. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Clyde S. Ford*, assistant surgeon, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 80, November 15, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended fifteen days.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles E. Tayman*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed from this city to Knoxville, Tennessee, and relieve Lieutenant *Sebring C. Fiske*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, of his duties pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department at that place. Captain *Tayman* will perform his duties at Knoxville, Tennessee, under the instructions of the Quartermaster General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick W. Hyde*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, with his three civilian clerks, will proceed from Camp George G. Meade, Middletown, Pennsylvania, to this city, on official business pertaining to the closing of his accounts with the Subsistence Department of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. Leave of absence for ten days is granted Major *James M. Bell*, 1st U. S. Cavalry.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph A. Nellis*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, now on furlough at his home, 1921 Superior avenue, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. Ashley*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Schweer*, Battery M, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

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8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Harley Stamp*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, now on furlough at his home, 48 E. State street, Alliance, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. Private *Peter Byrne*, Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be in confinement at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, who deserted at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, December 3, 1889, and surrendered November 16, 1898, while serving in Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, under the name of *Francis J. McMahon*, is restored to duty without trial upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. Private *Byrne* is transferred to Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, to serve the remainder of his original enlistment.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph E. Shultz*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be in the hands of the civil authorities, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel Britton*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in confinement at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *W. A. Schaffer* and *W. H. Griffith*, Troop E, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, are transferred as 2d class privates to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. They will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Richard P. Strong*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that place, for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Edward T. Malone*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Arthur H. Jordan*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *Howard M. Covey*, Battery M, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Privates *David J. Flynn* and *Jacob G. Straub*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *Ernest H. Stark*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Louis J. Heitzman*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island;

Sergeant *Lawrence McCarthey*, Company B, 1st U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Delbert O. Tompkins*, Company A, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Thomas F. Conley*, Company D, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Privates *Thomas F. Shannon*, Company C, and *William Thalmann*, Company D, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Ted Laking*, Company L, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Orlando W. Lusher*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 37, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Arthur Reece*, Troop G, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, is revoked.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Jeremiah J. Hannon*, Company E, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer Company E, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular,

No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men now at Athens, Georgia, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, and will be sent to Augusta, Georgia, where they will report to Lieutenant Colonel *E. B. Ives*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty:

Private *Charles B. Fuhrer*, Company F, and Corporal *Harry E. Bonsell*, Company H, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George P. Thomas*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Macon, Georgia, is transferred to Company F, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 33, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Elijah L. Brown*, Troop G, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, is amended to read, "*Samuel L. Brown.*"

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *J. P. Graves* and *J. H. Sherrard*, Company A; Musician *L. M. Lanier*, Company B; Corporal *George H. Wilson*, Privates *Lewis B. Ballard*, *Lorenzo H. Flowers*, and *Clarence E. Toombs*, Company C; Corporal *F. C. Reece*, Privates *R. E. Gatewood*, Company D; *Eugene J. Buynr*, Company E; Sergeant *W. T. Johnson*, Corporal *M. U. Tucker*, Privates *John A. Crown*, *J. M. Pailen*, and *A. J. Pollard*, Company F; Corporals *Thomas W. Applewhite*, and *J. P. Bell*, Artificer *S. S. Baker*, Privates *R. H. Blessing*, and *Ike Lubiski*, Company G; Corporals *C. S. Livesay*, *Walter Crenshaw*, and *Clarence Thomas*, Privates *G. F. Higgins*, *W. J. Kelly*, *C. B. Shepherd*, and *W. H. Taylor*, Company H; Sergeant *George W. Harrison*, Privates *Thomas M. Bishop*, *Lewis Colli*, *Clundius Councill*, *Alfonzo E. Drake*, *William L. Gunes*, *Thomas Galtress*, *John J. McAleavy*, and *George T.*

Worrell, Company I; Sergeant *E. T. Plummer*, Corporal *J. S. Epes*, Privates *James W. Gates*, *W. B. Hill*, *C. A. Pearman*, and *R. L. Shell*, Company K; Sergeants *Thomas E. Munds* and *B. H. Lassiter*, Corporal *James C. Hutchins*, Wagoner *George E. Whitehurst*, Privates *C. Borum*, *J. T. Hughes*, *C. A. Lewis*, *C. U. Markham*, *Aaron Porter*, *Walter Quillan*, *Theodore Seed*, *R. C. Vaughan*, and *W. Waldrop*, Company L; Privates *C. A. Bibb*, *H. A. Browning*, *V. B. Carter*, *K. F. Chalkley*, *R. B. Ford*, *Corrie Graves*, *R. M. Hardy*, *J. B. Harvie*, *R. W. Jones*, *Tabb Lane*, *S. L. Munn*, *E. I. Taylor*, and *L. R. Wood*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Jerry Sullivan*, Ordnance Detachment, now at Springfield Army, Massachusetts, will be sent to Frankford Arsenal, Pennsylvania, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 271, November 16, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *John Riley*, Troop F, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph A. Fitzgerald*, Company —, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at the recruiting station, 35 Kneeland street, Boston, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of the station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

23. Under paragraph 155 of the Regulations, Private *Patrick Walker*, Company G, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort McPherson, Georgia, for medical treatment.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 75, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Joseph J. Schmidt*, Troop F, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is amended to read at Huntsville, Alabama, instead of "Puerto Principe, Cuba."

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Adam W. Gut*, Company C, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the

United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Pullin*, Company C, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, Flat Rock, West Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. Musician *Patrick H. Couch*, Company E, 23d U. S. Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Clark, Texas, who deserted February 21, 1897, and was apprehended October 28, 1898, while serving as sergeant in the Band of the 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, is restored to duty without trial, upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. He is transferred to the Band, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, to serve the remainder of his original enlistment.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *J. E. Batchelor*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Myer, Virginia, will be sent to Fort Slocum, New York, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding officer for duty as telegraph operator at that post.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *George Davis*, Hospital Corps, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

30. Private *Thomas Jones*, unassigned, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now attached to Company C, 24th U. S. Infantry, at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, is transferred to that company and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

31. Private *Charles Cotier*, Company —, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Madison Barracks, New York, is transferred to the 9th U. S. Infantry at his present station. He will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 269, November 14, 1898,

from this office, as relates to Private *Jacob Farhback*, Battery I, 4th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jacob Farhback*, Battery I, 4th U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Fort Mott, New Jersey. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men of the 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed:

COMPANY A.

Sergeant *Ralph L. Drake*, Privates *Dock Beasley*, *Richard E. Bivins*, *William L. Gibson*, *Alfred E. Hall*, *Calvin M. Haslip*, *Leonard J. Stafford*, *Owen R. Striclin*, and *John H. Wheeler*.

COMPANY B.

Corporal *Augustus C. Ernest*, Privates *Walter E. Bell*, *Frank Chlebowsky*, *John H. Cochran*, *Samuel W. Dixon*, *Clarence W. Fisher*, *Thomas S. Harris*, *Robert C. Marsh*, and *David D. Moore*.

COMPANY C.

Sergeants *Frank G. Burnett* and *Q. L. Kirkpatrick*, Corporals *Martin E. Gerrish*, *Albert M. Keresey*, and *Joshua M. Fair*, and Privates *George R. Callingham*, *William Cooley*, *George McGarrat*, and *Clay Mack, jr.*

COMPANY D.

Sergeant *Frank G. Twiggs*, Privates *Charles M. Beckner*, *William B. Blackwell*, *William Carnal*, *Ralph D. Lee*, *Thomas M. Orange*, *Oliver F. Powell*, *Forrest Satchel*, *George B. Stephens*, and *Charles P. Wesson*.

COMPANY E.

Sergeant *Frank A. Daniel*, Corporal *Walter E. Bailey*, Privates *James H. Bradshaw*, *William Daugherty*, *Sam B. Finley*, *Alexander P. Hanna*, *James A. Jenkins*, *Lowell M. Johns*, *George Johnson*, *William F. Patterson*, *Pollard Ramsey*, *Bee Robertson*, and *Travis Rousseau*.

COMPANY F.

Sergeant *Patrick E. Dooley*, Corporals *Walter Lawrence*,

Oliver West, and Frank Collins, Privates Oscar F. Ferrell, Sarry Hanson, Dennis O. Maddox, Thomas B. Mobley, James C. Nichols, Benedict R. Nicholson, Leon B. Porter, Joseph B. Rutland, and Everett R. Seibert.

COMPANY G.

Corporal Isaac S. Mason, Privates Willie E. Chattam, John C. Harris, Harry Hurshburger, George Jensen, Hugh F. Lowrey, Charles A. Majers, John L. McDonald, William F. Nichols, Charles A. Porter, Carroll M. Price, August R. Tomek, Herbert C. Whittaker, Joseph D. Wood, and Charles G. Yazell.

COMPANY H.

Corporal Samuel S. Rich, Privates Jefferson D. Bailey, Daniel Gregory, Nehemiah Harvey, James G. Justice, James Lee, George B. McCoy, Joseph T. Osborne, and Gilmore E. Porter.

COMPANY I.

Corporal Thomas E. Allen, Privates Elias A. Audicha, Charles L. Carney, Hayden L. Dudley, Arthur Ganthier, Bert E. Rood, and Samuel Smith.

COMPANY K.

Sergeants Edmond S. Dechman, Clarence H. Kibbey, Corporals George P. Richardson, Aurelias H. Jones, Privates R. E. L. Beckworth, Edwin E. Leland, William H. Litchfield, William J. Lumm, William T. McCormick, George W. Mertz, William W. Pierce, Edwin P. Price, William D. Rhea, and Joseph L. Scott.

COMPANY L.

Sergeant James M. Sellers, Corporals James E. Tolson, Bate L. Appleby, William L. Brennan, John W. Goodwin, and William B. Allen, Privates Silvanus Ballinger, John T. Davis, Charles R. D. V. Duchamp, Samuel J. Hauser, Henry House, John N. Miller, James R. Nichols, Cornelius O'Donovan, Edgar Phillips, David E. Randle, James E. Red, M. Sweeney, and Robert M. Tindell.

COMPANY M.

Sergeant Andrew J. Simpson, Musician Joseph Burkhead, Privates William A. Bertrand, John W. Corrigan, Thomas E. Crutcher, James C. Ellis, Oscar Gerstermann, Frederick McCampbell, Jerome McCarty, Orran D. Parker, Ervin B. Payne, Frederick Stallcup, and Cress W. Watson.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

35. The following transfers are made in the 7th U. S. Cavalry, at the request of the officers concerned, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Sedgwick Rice*, from Troop I to Troop L;
First Lieutenant *Francis H. Beach*, from Troop L to Troop I.

36. First Lieutenant *James Longstreet, jr.*, 9th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry (recently appointed), will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report for duty to the commanding officer of his regiment.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Orietor C. Beach*, Company E, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson General Hospital will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that hospital. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Matt R. Peterson*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, now at Savannah, Georgia, will proceed, accompanied by his authorized clerk, to, and take station at, Matanzas, Cuba, for duty as Purchasing and Depot Commissary at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. The sick leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *James Forbes*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 29, October 21, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George T. G. Sexton*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry,

having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Chaplain *Otis A. Glazebrook*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect December 8, 1898;

Captain *Charles Morris*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

Captain *Thomas B. Fuller*, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, to take effect December 10, 1898.

42. The sick leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Clifford D. Ham*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 170, current series, 7th Army Corps, is extended twelve days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Louis T. Hess*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. The leave of absence granted Captain *Alfred M. Fuller*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 162, November 11, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

45. So much of paragraph 23, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *Archibald Campbell*, 3d U. S. Artillery, is amended so as to direct him to proceed, *via* San Francisco, California, to join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Warren S. Barlow*, 15th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 82, November 30, 1898, Headquarters, 15th Infantry, on board the "*Chester*," is extended twenty-three days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

47. Leave of absence for fifteen days, to take effect December 11, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *James M. Graham*, 11th U. S. Infantry.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Privates *Hiram Smith* and *William J. Frazier*, Company K,

3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Macon, Georgia, are transferred as 1st class privates to the 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that place.

They will be directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, chief signal officer, 1st Army Corps, for duty.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *D. P. Van Velsor* and *Frederick A. Partridge*, Company F, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Pinar del Rio, Cuba, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. They will be sent to Havana, Cuba, and directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *J. E. Maxfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Carlos G. Champlin*, Company D, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, now at Summerville, South Carolina, is transferred as a private to Company H, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, and will be sent to the station of that company, Augusta, Georgia.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Isaac Rubenstein*, Company B, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles H. Ketchum*, Battery A, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Key West Barracks, Florida, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Rauschkolb*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Oscar J. Brown*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, recently mustered out as Colonel, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. So much of Special Orders, No. 284, paragraph 89, December 2, 1898, from this office, as relates to Colonel *John D. Eddy*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as

to read "Colonel *John G. Eddy*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry."

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick Fuger*, 4th U. S. Artillery, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Pennsylvania.

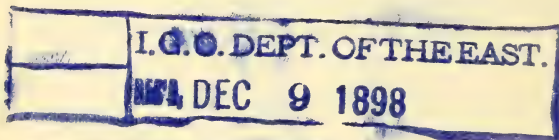
57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William H. Kell*, 22d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Nebraska, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *William H. Kell*, 22d U. S. Infantry.

59. First Lieutenant *Morris B. Gifford*, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, now in hospital at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will proceed to his home, Louisville, Kentucky, and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 288. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, December 7, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Sidney E. Stuart*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to Fort Wadsworth, New York, on official business pertaining to test of black prismatic powder, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John W. Joyes*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed one visit per week during the month of December, 1898, from Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, New York, to the works of the Economy Foundry and Machine Company, Syracuse, New York, on official business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

3. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank E. Hobbs*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make two visits to the works of the Pond Machine Tool Company, Plainfield, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John G. Butler*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to Fort Preble, Maine, on official business pertaining to the inspection of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Lawson M. Fuller*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed three visits during the month of December, 1898, to the works of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, Steelton, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the in-

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spection of seacoast gun carriages, and on the completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. Sergeant *Henry D. Sharkey*, Company C, 10th U. S. Infantry, having performed the duties assigned him in paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 183, December 3, 1898, Headquarters, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to his proper station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *E. G. Beall* and *S. D. Mitchell*, Company K, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Horace E. Harrison*, Company G, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Charles R. Wilcox* and Corporal *John H. Gourley*, Company D, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William Allen*, Company F, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Richard L. Crump*, Company I, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James Holmes*, Company C, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John H. Young*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the

United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Robert N. Reid*, Company C, *William J. Hogan* and Musician *William G. Hopson*, Company I, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Isador J. Mandel*, Company E, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ralph W. E. Mull*, Company C, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Reuben W. Hess*, Company I, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward W. Whitehorn*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Corporal *Jay F. Manning*, Company G, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *John C. W. Bramer* and *George Watson*, Troop C, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Robinson, Nebraska, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

14. Private *Edward George Bowers*, Troop D, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now a member of the detachment of the Cavalry Brigade, 7th Army Corps, supposed to be at Nuevitas, Cuba, is transferred to Troop C, 8th U. S. Cavalry, at that station.

15. Private *Robert J. Boylan*, Troop D, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now a member of the detachment of the Cavalry Brigade, 7th Army Corps, supposed to be at Nuevitas, Cuba, is transferred to Troop C, 8th U. S. Cavalry, at that station.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John R. Gittings*, Hospital Corps, now at camp near Fort Winfield Scott, California, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that camp.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 271, November 16, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Milton S. Bucher*, Company D, 17th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

18. Private *Rudolf Remmler*, Company F, 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the Band, 9th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that organization, Madison Barracks, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *George G. Rodgers*, Company A, Battalion of U. S. Engineers, now supposed to be in division field hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the officer in charge of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Bolles*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Ernest C. Southern*, General Service, now in the hands of the civil authorities, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged the service of the United States by the recruiting officer, 415 West Locust street, Des Moines, Iowa. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations this soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements shall not be furnished him.

22. Private *Arthur Barrington*, Company M, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry, now in this city, will be discharged

the service of the United States, to date October 3, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 94, Special Orders, No. 283, December 1, 1898, from this office, relating to Artificer *John L. Dame*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, is amended to read, now at Fort Washington, Maryland, instead of "Washington Barracks, District of Columbia."

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Ernest A. Hartmann*, Troop A, and *William S. Cody*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *William Baxter*, Troop A, and *David Hagen*, Troop C, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Corporal *Oliver R. Dexter* and Private *William D. Cooper*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel C. Main*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at his home, Plainfield, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Post Hospital, Fort Columbus, New York, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. Private *Frederick Wohlfert*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery B, 2d U. S. Artillery. He will be sent to the station of that battery, Savannah, Georgia, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer for duty.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John S. Strachan*, detachment 2d U. S. Artillery attached to Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, now on sick furlough at his home, 259 West Twenty-seventh street, New York, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *Allerton S. Cushman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is extended one month on account of sickness.

29. By direction of the President, Captain *Allerton S. Cushman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898.

30. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *Thomas S. Crago*, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for twenty days is granted Captain *Harry C. Barnes*, 1st Territorial U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

32. The travel performed by 1st Lieutenant *Horace Bird Frost*, assistant surgeon, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, from Boston, Massachusetts, to Lexington, Kentucky, September 6 to September 8, 1898, to join his station in pursuance of telegraphic instructions from the surgeon of his regiment, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *J. L. Luxford*, Company B, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Charles W. Whiting*, Company D, and *Arthur Taurman*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Michael E. Dooley*, Company F, and Wagoner *William B. Allen*, Company L, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Forest Byers*, Company G, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. Harry Evans*, Company E, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William G. Nelson*, Company A, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Virgil R. Biggers*, Band; Privates *Robert P. Mack*, *Harry Ross*, *Ollie Stiff*, Company C, and *John A. Berry*, Company K, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry; Private *Charles C. Massenburg*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Christian Hanson*, Company E, and *Albert H. Harlow*, Company G, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 65, Special Orders, No. 205, dated War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 31, 1898, as relates to Sergeants *Frederick D. Jennings* and *William T. Ainley*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is revoked.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Henry I. Spring*, *E. H. Shirk*, *Ennon Etheridge*, *J. E. Woods*, *William H. Scott*, *William H. Montgomery*, *John A. Poeth*, and *McDonald Garratt*, 6th Company; *Arthur B. Glostes*, 12th Company; *Robert Raymond Nelson*, 16th Company, and *Guy D. Lewis*, 17th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Sergeant *Louis D. Cole*, Company I, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Morris Kammar*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William H. Kelly*, Company M, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Richard A. Beatty*, Company G, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Ernest Crocker*, Company D, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John A. Pettis*, Company M, 8th California Volunteer Infantry;

Private *M. R. Hays*, Company C, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John J. Kiernan*, Company A, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Oscar F. Cressy*, Company B, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Samuel B. McCoy*, Company B, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frank P. Mayer*, Company B, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Jay F. Manning*, Company G, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Charles L. Kelly*, Company B; *Edward Tallon*, Company D, and Corporal *Robert J. Hayes*, Company I, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Jefferson L. Reynolds*, Company C; Privates *Charles McPherson*, Company F, and *J. M. Jones*, Company G, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert W. Lewis, jr.*, Company B, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *Ernest B. Morris*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *E. P. Wells*, Company F, 8th California Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph H. Merrill*, Company D, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Arthur R. Teeple*, Company B, 8th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *George F. Seymour, sr.*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Robert M. Engler*, *Bert Globensky*, 12th Company; *Joseph Hamilton*, 15th Company; 1st Class Sergeant *Frederick D. Jennings*, Sergeant *William T. Ainley*, 17th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *E. A. Cross*, Company —, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Dale Hileman*, Band, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *W. J. Fraser*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James W. Ridout*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Artificer *Harry F. Keefer*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Roy Canfield*, Company G, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Herbert A. Stryker*, Company M, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George H. Lynch*, Company C, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank Rice*, Company F, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Joseph Harlow*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank Baldwin*, Company G, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George A. Mordin*, Company D, 9th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *W. F. Williams*, Company I, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Matt W. Allen*, Company B, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Wade H. Hayes*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles J. Ferris*, Company F, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Thomas H. May*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Frank C. Moss* and *Charles C. Moss*, Company C, and Private *Jesse B. Russell*, Company E, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John T. Sayles*, 6th Company, and Corporal *Ownby F. Hocker*, 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

59. The extension of leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *Charles C. Hood*, 19th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 237, October 7, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John E. Bacon*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, and will proceed to Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Basil H. Dutcher*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, and will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. The leave of absence on account of sickness granted 2d Lieutenant *Mervyn C. Buckey*, 5th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

63. The following transfers are made in the 12th U. S. Infantry, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Frederick S. Wild*, from Company F to Company D;

First Lieutenant *Charles C. Ballou*, from Company D to Company F.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 77, Special Orders, No. 283, December 1, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *James A. Shuler*, Company L, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James H. Johnson*, Company D, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge on account of minority from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *W. T. Avant*, Company L, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William L. Bailey*, Company G, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *William Steward*, Company L, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Willie*

Blumberg, Band, 8th California Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States, by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Joseph P. Goodson*, Company F, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John J. Broussard*, Company D, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Walter C. Elliott*, Company L, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John A. Bodker*, Company K, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

74. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Harvey C. Major*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John A. Dunn*, Company K, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Toney B. Shields*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Private *John P. Nunnally*, Company B, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry Lowenberg*, Company I, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Walter Barlow*, Company K, 32d Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William Sellinger*, Company I, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

79. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant Major *John F. Bembridge*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Eddie R. Gum*, Company F, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

80. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Daniel J. Shea*, Company E, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Baxter Davis*, Company E, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

81. The extension of sick leave granted 2d Lieutenant *Raymond P. Snow*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 272, paragraph 36, November 17, 1898, from this office, is further extended to January 1, 1899, on account of sickness.

82. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Fred J. Carpenter*, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 171, November 21, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *James W. Scully*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will proceed from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Galveston, Texas, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department in connection with the transport service, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. The journeys performed by Captain *William M. Coulling*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, under orders from Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster, U. S. Army, on November 7, 1898, from New York City, New York, to Bath, Maine, and return; November 14, 1898, from New York City, New York, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and return; November 18, 1898, from New York City, New York, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and return; and November 24, 1898, from New York City, New York, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and return, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

85. The travel performed by Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, Assistant Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army, from New York City, New York, to Washington, District of Columbia, on duty pertaining to the muster out of service of the 9th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Randall R. Hunter*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, upon the expiration of his present leave of absence will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry D. Thomason*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for assignment to duty.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *C. L. G. Anderson*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report in person to Captain *Henry A. Shaw*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, in charge of hospital train, now in this city, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George G. Bailey*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed at once to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, for consultation, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Otto H. Falk*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, for consultation, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the President, Major *Henry H. Landon*, 4th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, by the Secretary of War.

92. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Edwin V. Bookmiller*, 9th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 259, November 7, 1898, Department of the East, is extended one month on account of sickness.

93. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Benjamin B. Golden*, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, having ten-

dered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

94. The leave of absence granted Captain *Claude L. Clarke*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 227, September 26, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days.

95. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Birt Davis*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

96. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *William T. Corey*, Troop M, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

97. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marcus S. Hurd*, Troop F, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

98. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred H. Oehler*, Troop D, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

99. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Clark*, Hospital Corps, hospital train, now supposed to be with hospital train at Washington, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

100. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jacob Hooker*, Company K, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

101. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert A. Robinson*, Company K, 16th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

• 102. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward C. Barbour*, Hospital Corps, 1st Army Corps, now at Lexington, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

103. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *W. Tyson Romaine*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 255, paragraph 21, October 28, 1898, from this office, is further extended on account of sickness to include December 7, 1898.

104. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *W. Tyson Romaine*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

105 The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederick L. Palmer*, 21st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 229, September 28, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

106. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Cromwell Stacey*, 19th U. S. Infantry.

107. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank R. McCoy*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 261, November 4, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

108. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey, to consist of—

Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Subsistence Department;
Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, and

Captain *Isaac W. Littell*, Assistant Quartermaster,
is hereby appointed to meet in New York City at 10 o'clock a. m., December 8, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable,

for the purpose of investigating and reporting upon the causes of the recent accident on board the steamer Bay State, and of fixing the responsibility therefor.

The junior member of the board will act as recorder.

109. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles E. B. Flagg*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, and will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 289. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, December 8, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Hugh Ed. Morrow*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *J. L. Kent* and *S. M. Kent*, Company G, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Fred. C. Ely*, *Burt W. Reid*, and *William A. Yettman*, Company I; *Charles Durgen*, *George H. Espie*, and — *Gillespie*, Company M, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Herman Dillon*, Company B, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *E. L. White*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Walter M. Baker* and Corporal *Walter H. Gladding*, Company B, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Private *E. T. Wilson*, Company B, and Corporal *Howell R. Weisiger*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *James E. Plowden*, Company A, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *W. A. Montgomery* and *Lawrence Ruddell*, Company B, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Hugh C. Young*, Company G, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

pecto General

Corporal *William Hagan*, Company L, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Joseph H. McGowan*, *Henry P. Slover*, *David C. Mount*, Company G; *James T. Conboy*, *Chase Van Cleaf*, Company H; Artificer *Frank W. Emens*, Privates *John William Roome*, *Benjamin B. Vanderhoef*, Company I; *Thomas Percy Baker*, Company K; Sergeant *William Owen Fury*, Corporal *George Habermehl*, Company L, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry H. Wiesehan*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Jacob A. Brabender*, Company C; *Gunnlangur Jonsson*, and *Harry S. Seitz*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Edward Cooney*, Company M, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Private *L. M. Allen*, Company B; Corporal *Jacob Henry Hicks*, and Private *Elisha Goodman*, Company I, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Guy Crockett*, Company I, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *John H. Dean*, Company E, and *Willard Vernon Poisal*, Company I, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William H. Frazee*, Company M, and Sergeant Major *A. Blair Frazee, jr.*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Payton McLarren*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles D. Rissell*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Guy P. Billon*, Battery A, Missouri Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Gustave A. Larson*, Company H, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Sterling D. Rosan*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William J. Keville*, Company M, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Alvin N. Jack*, Company M, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert Kattner*, Company D, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Bruce McLelland*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Walter Tyler* and *Milton S. Tyler*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Patrick Pendergrast*, Band, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *R. J. Haywood*, Company D, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *O. D. Wescott*, Company E, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Charles J. Gilbert*, Company A, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Madison Milam*, Company F, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Claude B. Renwick*, Company M, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Richard E. Plowden*, Company H, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles A. Wilcox*, Company F, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph W. Blanchard*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date November 30, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 266, November 10, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Morrison C. Stayer*, Hospital Corps, is revoked.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Morrison C. Stayer*, Hospital Corps, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *William H. Cobb*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 254, October 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

11. By direction of the President, Lieutenant Colonel *Lucien F. Burpee*, judge advocate, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged from the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 1, 1899, his services being no longer required.

12. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles W. Parker*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 154, November 7, 1898, headquarters, 7th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

13. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Raymond Sheldon*, 2d U. S. Infantry, will repair to this city and report in person to the Assistant Secretary of War not later than December 14, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John J. Bradley*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will re-

port in person to the commanding general, U. S. forces, Manila, Philippine Islands, for assignment to duty as Assistant Quartermaster under his direction.

15. Under instructions from the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring board is appointed by the Secretary of War, to meet at the earliest practicable date, at the call of the president thereof, at St. Louis, Missouri, for the examination of 2d Lieutenant *Thomas F. Howard*, 7th U. S. Cavalry:

Detail for the board.

Colonel *Joseyh P. Wright*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Major *Joseph B. Girard*, surgeon, U. S. Army;

Major *Henry R. Brinkerhoff*, 3d U. S. Infantry;

Captain *William W. Wotherspoon*, 12th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Robert K. Evans*, 12th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Alfred T. Smith*, 12th U. S. Infantry, recorder.

Such journeys as the officers named may be required to make in attending the meetings of the board and in rejoining their proper stations on its adjournment are necessary for the public service.

16. Under instructions from the President, 2d Lieutenant *Thomas F. Howard*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Colonel *Joseph P. Wright*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet at St. Louis, Missouri, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 81, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *George R. Smith*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is amended so as to direct him to be accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John C. Muhlenberg*, paymaster, U. S. Army, in complying with paragraph 82, Special Orders, No. 285, December 3, 1898, from this office, will be accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Warren J. Pugh*, Company M, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company M, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16. of December 8, 1892. from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

20. Private *James Francis Reagan*, Light Battery F, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 3d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Augusta, Georgia, for assignment to a troop. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Herman R. Keisling*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Harry T. Fetterer*, Battery G, 5th U. S. Artillery, now on furlough at his home, Valparaiso Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Dowdell*, Company F, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

24. Private *Robert B. Roe*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop K, 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

25. Private *James J. Meade*, Company I, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Madison Barracks, New York, is transferred to Company E, 9th U. S. Infantry at that station. He will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

26. Sergeant *Ernest A. Dunstan*, Light Battery M, 7th U. S. Artillery, attached to Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred as private to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

27. Private *Walter J. Bradshaw*, Company F, 19th U. S. Infantry, attached to Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

28. Private *James Rock*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is transferred to Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery. He will be sent to the station of that battery, Savannah, Georgia, and will upon his arrival report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto F. Ewert*, Troop A, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now on sick furlough at his home, 543 Sixteenth street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Patrick Hodgins*, Hospital Corps, Fort Monroe, Virginia, now on temporary duty at Fort Myer, Virginia, is transferred to the latter station and will report to the surgeon in charge of the general hospital at that place for duty.

31. Private *Theodore Schoge*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is transferred to Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that

battery, Savannah, Georgia. Upon his arrival at that station he will report to the commanding officer for duty.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Perl Clifton Irwin*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at his home, 431 East 26th street, New York, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. Private *Leon G. Blet*, Troop H, 4th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming, is transferred to the 22d U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Crook, Nebraska, for assignment to a company.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Privates *August Johnson* and *Paul Liess*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Joseph M. Pankey*, Troop L, 5th U. S. Cavalry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Ollie Sanders*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *Patrick F. Kennedy*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *George L. Dingman*, Company B, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *John Wineland*, Company K, 5th U. S. Infantry, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Private *Nealy Wise*, Company C, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John F. Hamilton*, 3d Division, 2d Army Corps, Athens, Georgia;

Private *John F. Getz*, the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *James Tetlow*, the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Alexander L. E. Rissman*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Privates *Perlie H. Leffel* and *Ralph A. Roher*, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia;

Acting Hospital Steward *Eugene Hardesty*, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Wade H. Ray*, Troop C, 5th U. S. Cavalry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Artificer *Carl O. Dexter*, Light Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Thomas J. Wiggs*, Battery A, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hamilton, New York;

Private *William F. McGowan*, Company B, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

37. Leave of absence for fifteen days, to take effect on or about December 15, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *William Newman*, 13th U. S. Infantry.

38. Leave of absence for fifteen days, to take effect December 21, 1898, is granted Captain *Gordon Voorhies*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Ormond M. Lissak*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, will turn over all ordnance property under his charge at Ponce, Porto Rico, to an officer to be designated by the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, and will then proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty as ordnance officer at that point. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *James M. Bell*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Fort Riley, Kansas, for temporary duty, and upon completion thereof will return to his proper station, Baltimore, Maryland. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Paul M. Mecray*, assistant surgeon, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

42. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *John G. Hoegner*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 65, November 29, 1898, 1st Army Corps, is extended twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 25, Special Orders, No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, discharging Veterinary Surgeon *S. W. Service*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, from the service of the United States, and paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 270, November 15, 1898, from this office, suspending the operation of said order, are revoked.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 84, Special Orders, No. 285, December 3, 1898, from this office, as relieves Captain *Henry R. Stiles*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, from duty at Fort Preble, Maine, is revoked.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

By direction of the President, Major *William H. Arthur*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Major and surgeon, U. S. Army), is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect November 30, 1898.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Harry G. Trout*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty in connection with the muster out of the volunteer forces of the State of Pennsylvania, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry G. Trout*, 2d U. S. Cavalry.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence, on surgeon's certificate of disability, granted 2d Lieutenant *Henry Abbot*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended three months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

49. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Jacob G. Galbraith*, 1st U. S. Cavalry.

50. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Alexander E. Williams*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 89, September 13, 1898, 5th Army Corps, is extended two months on account of sickness.

51. The leave of absence granted Captain *John E. Morris*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 74, November 8, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Major *John L. Chamberlain*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, is extended one month on account of sickness.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps are made:

Major *Gustave W. S. Stevens*, on completion of his duties pertaining to the muster out of the 10th Signal Corps Company, is relieved from duty in this city, and will proceed to Fort Myer, Virginia, and assume charge of the Signal Corps detachment at that post, to relieve 1st Lieutenant *George C. Burnell*;

Lieutenant *Burnell*, on being thus relieved, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Richard P. Strong*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty with the 17th Signal Corps Company.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Winthrop S. Wood*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, recently appointed, will proceed from this city to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and report in person to Colonel *John V. Furey*, Quar-

termaster's Department, Depot Quartermaster at that place, for duty at Schuylkill Arsenal, Pennsylvania. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, in addition to his present duties, is assigned to temporary duty as General Superintendent of the Army Transport Service, New York City, New York.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, is assigned to duty as assistant to the General Superintendent of the Army Transport Service, with station in New York City, New York.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Wright*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the 1st Army Corps, and will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, for duty as Adjutant General of that brigade. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are ordered:

Major *William J. Wakeman*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, upon relinquishment of his present sick leave of absence, is relieved from duty at Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, and from duty as chief surgeon, 1st Brigade, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, and will proceed to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes. Upon the arrival of Major *Wakeman* at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, Major *Benjamin F. Pope*, surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, for duty pertaining to the supervision of the construction of the general hospital at that place, and he is assigned to the command of that hospital upon its completion. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles B. Mittelstaedt*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Savannah, Georgia, and upon arrival will report in person to the commanding officer

of the U. S. transport "Mobile" for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Francis M. McCallum*, U. S. Army, will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and upon arrival will report in person to the commanding officer of that post for assignment to duty, and by letter to the chief surgeon, Department of the Missouri. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. First Lieutenant *John K. Miller*, 8th U. S. Infantry, is transferred from Company D to Company A of that regiment.

62. By direction of the President, Captain *Harold E. Cloke*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (2d Lieutenant, 6th U. S. Artillery), is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 17, 1898, and will proceed to join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Eugene Bruffy*, General Service, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements shall not be furnished him.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Higgins*, Company K, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Brady, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant Major *James W. Butler*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date October 27, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station, by reason of promotion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *E. C. Ward, jr.*, 3d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Brooklyn, New York, will be discharged the service

of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James B. Harper*, Company C, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama is transferred as a 1st class private to the 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. He will be directed to report to Captain *Samuel S. Sample*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps at that place, for duty.

68. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Joseph A. Gury*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 240, paragraph 40, October 11, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

69. The travel from and to the places hereinafter designated, performed by 1st Lieutenant *Edwin T. Cole*, 6th U. S. Infantry, on the dates specified, on official business pertaining to his duties as Acting Assistant Commissary while relieving the tidal-wave sufferers on the Georgia coast, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service, and paragraph 77, Special Orders. No. 272, November 17, 1898, from this office, is amended accordingly:

From Darien to Resaca, Georgia, and return, October 30, 1898;

From Darien to Resaca, Georgia, November 26 to 28, 1898;

From Resaca, Georgia, to Washington, District of Columbia, November 28 and 29, 1898.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert P. Johnston*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers (1st Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers), will change his station from St. Augustine to Egmont Key, Florida, remaining under the immediate orders of Lieutenant Colonel *William H. H. Benyaurd*, Corps of Engineers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *John H. Yuckley*, 2d Arkansas Volunteers.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States:

Major *Murray D. Clement*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, to take effect November 29, 1898;

Captain *Charles T. Madison*, Quartermaster, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date;

First Lieutenant *Alexander D. Jenney*, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, to take effect this date.

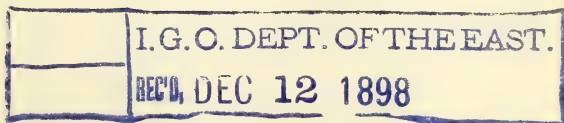
73. The travel from New York City, New York, to Ponce, Porto Rico, about August 24 to 31, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeons *Henry D. Chadwick* and *Allen Greenwood*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

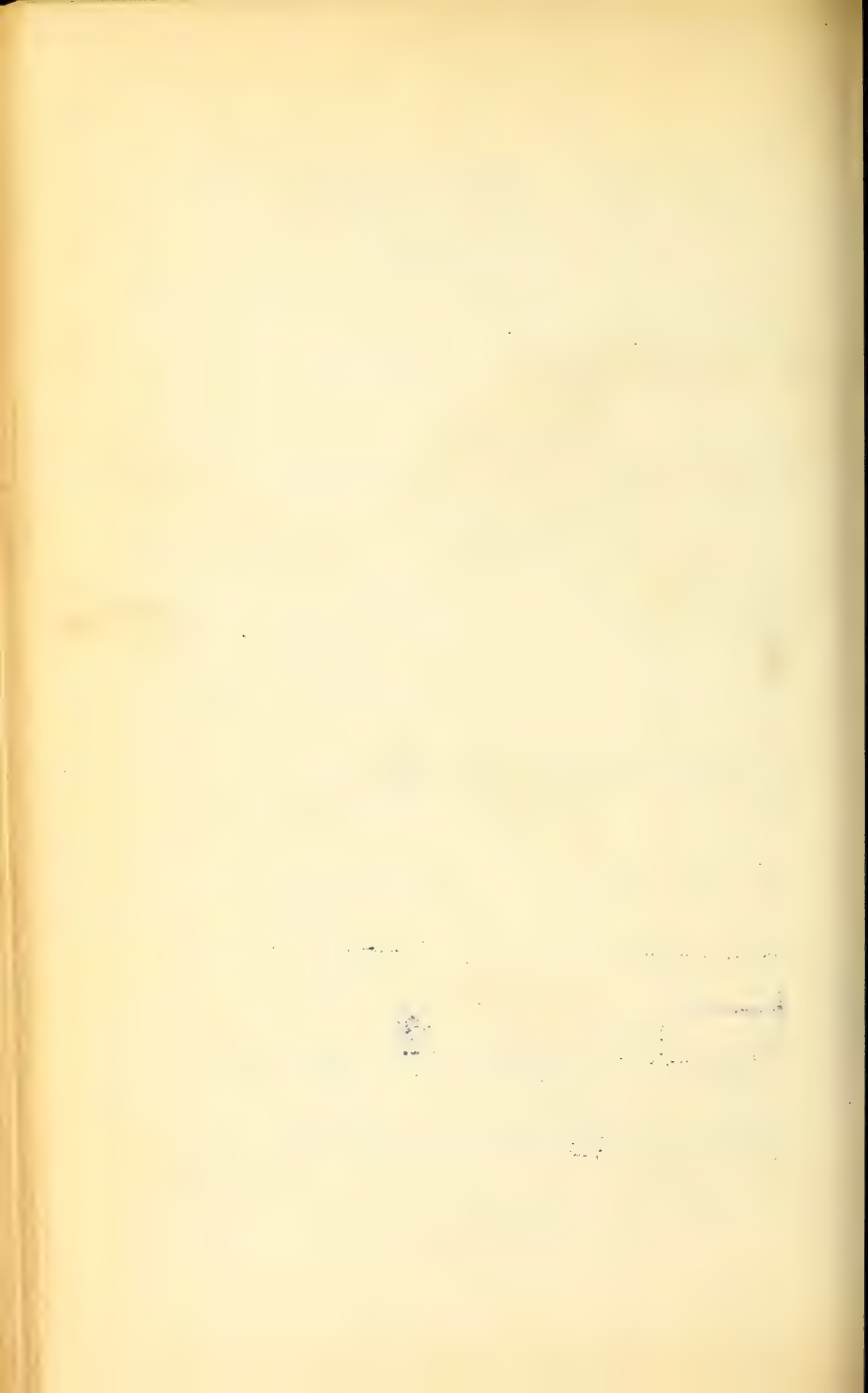
74. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Virgil P. Randolph*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 68, November 1, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Daniel D. Wheeler*, special inspector, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed from this city to St. Asaph, Virginia, and from thence to such other points as may be necessary to carry out such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army. Colonel *Wheeler* is appointed special inspector, under paragraph 878 of the Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at the points he may visit under this order, and upon completion of this duty he will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 290. } Washington, December 9, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *August J. Stromberg*, Hospital Corps, now in this city, will be sent to Savannah, Georgia. Upon his arrival at that place, he will report to Major *William H. Arthur*, surgeon, U. S. Army, commanding hospital ship "Missouri," for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *William B. Gill*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *John M. Meagher*, Battery M, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Michael Mehaleek*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *George W. Ditmer*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Thomas R. Maddox*, Company C, 10th U. S. Infantry, Havana, Cuba.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George F. Nash*, Company H, 9th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Madison Barracks, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Collins*, Hospital Corps, now on sick furlough at his home, Logan, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the corps reserve ambulance company, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now sup-

Inspector General.

posed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles Hill*, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *Edgar L. Swezey*, Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *David L. Rife*, U. S. General Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Joseph V. Patton*, Ambulance Company, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *William H. O'Neill*, 3d Division Field Hospital, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fletcher G. Sanborn*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at Hotel Gleason, Charlottesville, Virginia. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles A. Crossley*, Hospital Corps, now at post hospital, San Antonio, Texas, is detailed as acting hospital steward. He will report to the commanding officer, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas R. Markham*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Washington, Maryland, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ernest Coleman*, Company H, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Alexander*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. Private *Harry C. Price*, Battery L, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Hancock, New Jersey, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 6th U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort McHenry, Maryland, for assignment to a battery stationed at that post. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *John Wikander* (appointed December 3, 1898, from Quartermaster Sergeant, Troop H, 8th U. S. Cavalry), now at Nuevitas, Cuba, to Alcatraz Island, California. He will be sent to that place and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding officer for duty.

Commissary Sergeant *Walter Everson* (appointed December 3, 1898, from Sergeant, Troop L, 3d U. S. Cavalry), now at Augusta, Georgia, to Camp McKenzie, Augusta, Georgia. He will report upon arrival at that camp to Major *Walter K. Wright*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers, Chief Commissary, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, for duty.

13. Private *John Callagan*, Company F, 19th U. S. Infantry, attached to Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to that battery and will report to the commanding officer for duty.

14. Private *Joseph Marion*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, who deserted May 12, 1896, and surrendered October 7, 1898, while serving in Company L, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, under the name of *Joe Marion*, is restored to duty without trial upon condition that he make good the time lost by desertion. He is transferred to Company L, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, to serve the remainder of his original enlistment.

15. Private *Frederick D. Lyon*, Company H, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, is transferred to Company A, 17th U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harvy H. Hope*, Company M, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the

service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Kelly*, Company B, 9th U. S. Infantry, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Madison Barracks, New York. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Lynch*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, Fort Warren, Massachusetts. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *James Brown*, Troop M, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Macon, Georgia;

Private *Paul R. Bradley*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Private *Earl Adams*, Battery F, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *William McManemon*, Company F, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick E. Queen*, Troop D, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *James E. Lee*, Company L, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now at Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, will be sent to the Army

and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company L, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

22. Second Lieutenant *Stephen Starr*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed (Sergeant, Company D, 24th U. S. Infantry), will proceed to Santiago, Cuba, and report to his regimental commander for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Jeremiah Z. Dare*, Quartermaster's Department, will proceed to New York City on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Desha Breckinridge*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 19, 1898.

25. The following transfers are made in the 25th U. S. Infantry, to take effect this date:

Captain *Washington I. Sanborn*, from Company A to Company B;

Captain *Robert H. R. Loughborough*, from Company B to Company A.

26. By direction of the President, Major *R. Emmet Giffin*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. Private *Robert Hedley*, Light Battery C, 7th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be sent to Fort Columbus, New York, thence to the station of his battery, Ponce, Porto Rico.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish transportation to Fort Columbus, New York, and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Malvern-Hill Barnum*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from recruiting duty at Chattanooga, Tennessee, and will proceed to West Point, New York, and report in person to the Superintendent, U. S. Military Academy, for duty as Quartermaster and Disbursing Officer of the Academy, to relieve Major *William F. Spurgin*, 23d U. S. Infantry, who, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Hamilton A. Smith*, 3d U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Chattanooga, Tennessee, upon the expiration of his present sick leave, and enter upon recruiting duty at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Alfred Hampton*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898.

31. By direction of the President, Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned by the Secretary of War to the command of the 4th Army Corps, to relieve Major General *Joseph Wheeler*, U. S. Volunteers. He will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and assume command accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. First Lieutenant *George W. Kirkman*, 8th U. S. Infantry, is transferred from Company G to Company C of that regiment.

33. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Daniel McCarthy*, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 152, November 1, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

34. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Chaplain *J. Spencer Voorhees*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 274, paragraph 28, November 19, 1898, from this office, is still further extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

35. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Oliver E. Lewis*, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 171, November 21, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

36. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Herman L. Spahr*, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 163, November 16, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is further extended ten days on account of sickness.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank B. Denning*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

38. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edwin S. Geist*, in Special Orders, No. 259, paragraph 92, November 2, 1898, from this office, is still further extended ten days on account of sickness.

39. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Edwin R. Morrison*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 158, November 11, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 85, Special Orders, No. 285, December 3, 1898, from this office, as relieves Major *Ezra Woodruff*, surgeon, U. S. Army, from duty at Fort Trumbull, Connecticut, is revoked.

41. The travel from Santiago, Cuba, to Washington, District of Columbia, *via* San Juan, Porto Rico, and New York City, New York, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *John B. Sewell*, U. S. Army, about November 17 to December 5, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Louis Brechemin*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Vancouver Barracks, Washington.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Peter D. Vroom*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, will proceed to Governors Island, New York, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the East, for assignment to duty as Inspector General of that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Hobart K. Bailey*, 5th U. S. Infantry, is detailed, under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved July 5, 1884, as Acting Judge Advocate of the Department of Santiago, and will report in person to the commanding general of that department for duty accordingly.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Clifton L. Fenton*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the Quartermaster's Steamer "Mohawk," now at Bath, Maine, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, in time to reach that place by the 15th instant, and, upon arrival of the Transport "Panama" from Cuba, will assume charge thereof as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence, to relieve Captain *Jesse M. Baker*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties. Captain *Baker*, on being thus relieved, will proceed to Bath, Maine, and assume charge of the Transport "Mohawk" as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and report by letter to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, General Superintendent of Transport Service, New York City, for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph T. Lucas*, Company D, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, to date October 7, 1898.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael J. Fitzgerald*, Company D, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, now at Pinar del Rio, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private

James S. Parker, Company F, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Schwab, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Royal W. Butler*, Company M, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now at Murfreesboro, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

50. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James P. Barney*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, dated December 5, 1898, Headquarters, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended ten days.

51. Leave of absence for one month is granted 1st Lieutenant *John F. Barnhard*, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, on account of sickness.

52. The sick leave of absence granted Captain *John H. Brown*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 151, November 4, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

53. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Roy I. Taylor*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 284, paragraph 64, December 2, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Richard R. Whitehead*, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

55. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *H. Wells*, surgeon, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 161, November 10, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is further extended ten days on account of sickness.

56. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *William W. Gordon, jr.*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898.

57. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieuten-

ant *Clarence E. Dentler*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, is further extended seven days.

58. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, December 8, 1898.*

By direction of the President, so much of War Department order, dated October 31, 1898, published in Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from Headquarters of the Army, as honorably discharges Brigadier General *Charles A. Whittier*, U. S. Volunteers, from the service of the United States, is amended to take effect January 31, 1899.

R. A. ALGER,

Secretary of War.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Post Chaplain *Henry H. Hall*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 160, July 9, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

60. Leave of absence to include December 31, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Lincoln C. Andrews*, 3d U. S. Cavalry.

61. The extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 2d Lieutenant *Frank A. Barton*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *William E. West*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 264, November 8, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

63. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles Gerhardt*, 8th U. S. Infantry.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank Baker*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make such journeys as may be necessary during the remainder of the present fiscal year between the Builders' Iron Foundry and the works of the Providence Steam Engine Company, Providence, Rhode Island, on public business pertaining to the inspection of ordnance material in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *F. A. E. Disney*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Fort Riley, Kansas, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William C. Langfitt*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is detailed as mustering officer at Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands.

67. By direction of the President, Chaplain *Charles T. Walker*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect this date.

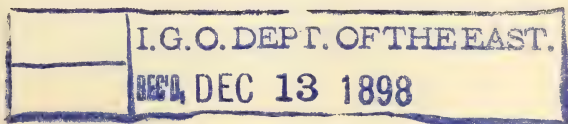
68. By direction of the President, paragraph 83, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, honorably discharging Captain *William H. McKittrick*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, from the service of the United States, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

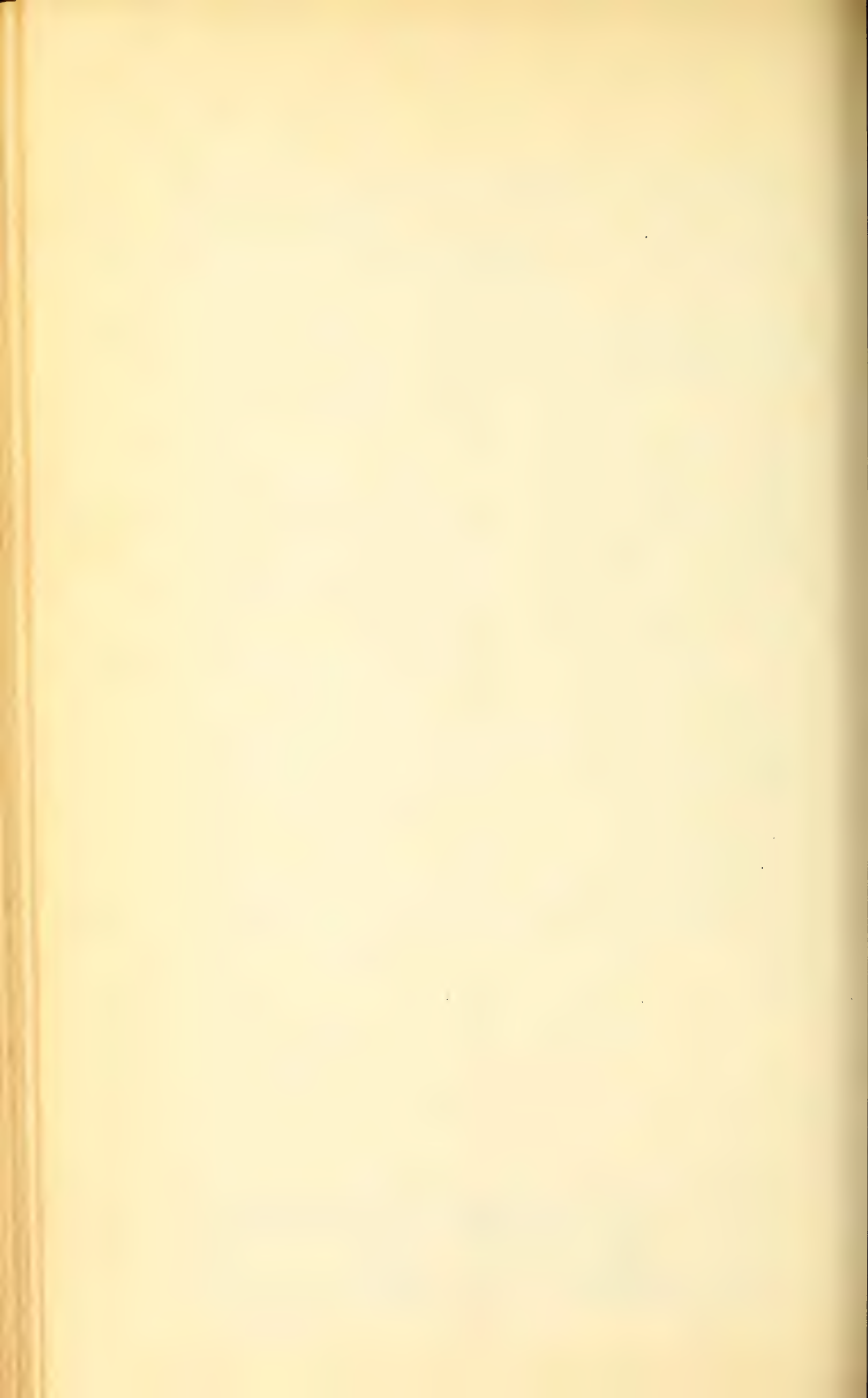
69. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 70, Special Orders, No. 285, December 3, 1898, from this office, as directs Major *Jesse C. Chance*, 5th U. S. Infantry, to proceed to join his regiment, is amended so as to direct him to proceed to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and join that portion of the 5th U. S. Infantry now at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Philip G. Wales*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 256, October 29, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 291. } Washington, December 10, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Quartermaster Sergeant *Simon Fleishman*, Company L, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Albert L. Johnstone*, Company I, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Chalkley Hannold* and *Samuel Merchant*, Company K, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Elmer P. Kuhn*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William E. Fry*, Company C, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *James H. Wilson*, *William Henry Latham*, Company A; Quartermaster Sergeant *Howell M. Edge*, Company B; Privates *Robert N. Clower*, *W. C. Rollins*, Company C; Corporal *J. R. Steel*, Privates *William A. Bowen*, *Aaron C. Brooks*, *C. M. Cloud*, Company E; Corporal *John P. Moore*, Privates *J. F. Gignilliat*, Company F; *Arthur Briggs*, *D. C. Tharing*, Company G; Corporal *Reuben E. Bowles*, Privates *Walter L. Carr*, *Mather C. Clements*, *William H. McMichael*, *John R. Stonaker*, Company H; *Thomas O. Martin*, *L. B. Samples*, Company I; *J. T. Ellenburg*, *H. N. Hanburg*, *J. A. Ligon*, Company L; Corporals *Homer N. Oliphaut*, *Frank M. Jones*, Privates *T. E. Bishop*, *Walter Buchanan*, *Emanuel Todd*, Company M, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

Inspector General

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank Hargraves*, Company I, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *L. B. Cromer*, Company H, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John F. Puett*, Company C, 2d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *Charles Bartel*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to New York, New York, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Warner A. Small*, Company F, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Stephen*

Perrine, Company H, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 31, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Wallace E. Council*, Company D, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *R. F. Smithers*, Company B, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Watson W. Ish*, Company F, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Wagoner *Andrew J. McGivney*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George F. Cantello*, Battery B, 1st Maine Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *J. M. Grace*, Company M, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George L. Weiler*, 1st Troop, Utah Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frederick N. Askine*, Company C, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William Weese*, Company D, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *J. McBride*, Company H, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Jacob D. Turner*, Company B, 8th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Alar J. Williams*, 12th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Louis*

Schoppe, 1st Troop, Utah Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *J. A. Shelly*, Corporals *Rutledge Smith* and *John D. Points*, Company D, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *W. H. Donnelly* and *Edward H. Egan*, Company L, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Robert Trier*, Company C, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry J. Mayer*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Irad M. Lewis*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Daniel G. Kelley*, Company H, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank G. Lancer*, Band, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *J. F. McMullin*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Florey J. Driscoll*, Company A, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Morris Cranston*, Company F, and *Bert R. Piper*, Company H, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Otto H. Feucht*, Company D, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John H. Cain*, Band; Sergeant *William M. More*, Company A; Privates *William Layer*, Company F; *J. B. Jamieson*, Company G, and *George Herdling*, Company H, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward E. Weinberg*, Company G, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *J. T. Taylor*, Company L, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frank W. Lamey*, Company A, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *George E. Dyson*, Company E, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Conrad J. Dietz*, Company E, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frank E. Rowe*, Company A, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James C. Murray*, Company A; Corporal *Hollister A. Carnes*, Company B; and Private *George Stang*, Company G, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Louis Lutz*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Irvin A. Nelis*, Company A, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Marvin Scurlock*, Company D, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Eppie E. Crawford*, Company M, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *H. L. Harter* and *Carl Engblom*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward R. Kreutzlin*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Point, Galveston, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Nowlin Watson*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division Hospital, Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. Private *Gotfield Schwarz*, Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company D, 6th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John S. Lyons*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. Herbert Ford*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. General Hospital at that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Harry E. Wilkins*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, purchasing commissary in that city, for duty as an assistant in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur W. Lane*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, 37 Elmwood street,

Newton, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Harry A. Wolfe*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home, Delphi, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Eli W. Gray*, Hospital Corps, San Francisco, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Albert Von Hoven*, Company E, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Camp Shipp, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

36. Private *James T. Aduddell*, Company G, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, at that station. He will report to the commanding officer of that company for duty.

37. Musician *George Heinrich*, Company M, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is transferred as private to the 21st U. S. Infantry, at that station. He will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward S. Hurry*, Troop M, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Cornelius McBride*, Battery D, 7th U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service

of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, Portland Head, Maine. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward A. Derwechter*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Charles E. Mizell* and *Archibald C. Needles*, Hospital Corps, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at that hospital.

42. Private *William Vogt*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank B. Kelly*, Battery F, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Tybee Island, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

44. Private *Augustus W. Hershiser*, Troop E, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 17th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Levi M. Scifres*, Company L, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *George D. Jensen*, Troop G, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *August Oberwalder*, Troop D, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *John S. Daley*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *William Witman*, Company F, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *James A. Grant*, Ambulance Company, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Fred C. Bissell*, 1st Division, 4th Army Corps, Camp Forse, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Louis A. Cohen*, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *Oram C. Lytel*, U. S. General Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *William T. S. Pryfogle*, 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Sergeant *George L. Guilford*, Company C, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, now on detached service assisting the chief mustering officer, State of Massachusetts, Boston, Massachusetts, is relieved from that duty to take effect December 10, 1898, and will report to his regiment for duty, and Private *Samuel Wells*, Company A, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough in Boston, is placed on detached service under the orders of the chief mustering officer, State of Massachusetts, in connection with the muster out of the Massachusetts volunteers. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary quarters for Private *Wells*, and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations to him at the prescribed rates.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Lieutenant Colonel *William H. Gardner*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised

Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 286, December 5, 1898, from this office, assigning Acting Assistant Surgeon *Randolph M. Myers*, U. S. Army, to duty on the U. S. Hospital Ship "Bay State," is revoked.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Lyman W. V. Kennon*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty pertaining to the muster out of service of Ohio volunteers, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. forces at that place for duty on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *James B. Aleshire*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now Acting Chief Quartermaster, 1st Army Corps, is assigned to duty as Chief Quartermaster of that corps.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank B. Wire*, Company I, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Birney H. Shafer*, Company K, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Orville T. Dent*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporals *Benjamin L. Davenport*, *Edward S. Rimer*, and Private *Frank W. Cunningham*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *William H. Bailey*, Battery B, Maine Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Frank D. Dudley*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Daniel F. Kennedy*, Company F, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Private *Posey B. Florence*, Battery B, Utah Volunteer Artillery;

First Sergeant *Formwalt Hood*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

61. Under instructions from the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring

board is appointed to meet at Chicago, Illinois, at the earliest practicable date, upon the call of the president thereof, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it:

Detail for the board.

Colonel *Asa B. Carey*, Assistant Paymaster General, U. S. Army;

Lieutenant Colonel *Albert Hartsuff*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Lieutenant Colonel *Oskaloosa M. Smith*, Subsistence Department (Major and Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army);

Captain *Henry Seton*, 4th U. S. Infantry;

Captain *Richard W. Johnson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *Charles McQuiston*, 4th U. S. Infantry, recorder.

Such journeys as it may be necessary for the members of the board to make in attending its sessions and returning to their proper stations are necessary for the public service.

62. Under instructions from the President, Post Chaplain *Henry H. Hall*, U. S. Army, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Colonel *Asa B. Carey*, Assistant Paymaster General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet at Chicago, Illinois, at such time as he may designate for examination by the board. Upon the completion of his examination, Post Chaplain *Hall* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John W. Justice*, Company M, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *George Eucker*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles A. Patterson*, Company K, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *W. C. Bateman*, Company A; Private *William R. Van Buren*, Company C; Sergeants *Thomas F. O'Donnell*, *Hugh J. McAleary*, and Private *Richard Watt*, Company H, 8d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward V. Kent*, Company F, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Charles S. Vose*, 1st Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert Pfau*s, Company I, 1st Montana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to the place of enlistment.

67. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect upon the arrival of Acting Assistant Surgeon *F. A. E. Disney*, U. S. Army, at Fort Riley, Kansas, is granted Captain *Benjamin L. Ten Eyck*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

68. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William C. Rogers*, 7th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 270, November 15, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

69. Corporal *George A. Williams*, Company A, 1st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, now at Chickamauga Park, Georgia, is transferred as a private to the 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry. He will be directed to report to the commanding officer of that regiment at that station for duty.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Nuevitas, Cuba, will be

discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Artificer *Richard E. Brightwell*, Company C; Privates *David L. Rustin*, Company D; *John Sam Aenchbacher*, Company H, and *Marvin V. Robbins*, Company L, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to New York City, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 55, Special Orders, No. 259, November 2, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Thomas H. Crawford*, Company D, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read: "This soldier 'is' entitled to travel-pay," it appearing that he was at the station of his company when discharged, and not at his home.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Corporal *William J. Bartlett*, Company L, 3d New York Volunteer Infantry, to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Savannah, Georgia, are transferred as 1st class privates to the United States Volunteer Signal Corps:

Private *Joseph T. Pugh*, Company A; Corporal *Elmer J. Knecht*, Artificer *Thomas E. Hurley*, Company E; Corporal *John A. Maxam*, Company H; Sergeant *John C. Hussey*, Privates *Edward Bauer*, *Robert D. Mitchell*, and *Robert T. Pace*, Company I, 3d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Edmund J. Earhart*, Company A, *Alfred E. Huffman* and *Ross F. Janes*, Company D, and Corporal *Charles Turner*, Company M, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Elmer Tharp*, *Lemuel E. Whitsett*, and *Luther M. Worrell*, Company E, and *Walter M. Engle*, Company I, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Edmund W. Merrill*, Battery C, 1st Maine Volunteer Artillery;

Privates *Ira T. Clegg* and *Thomas Weiner*, Company C, *William C. Howerton*, Company D, and Corporal *Luther M. Potter*, Company G, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Michael J. Sherry* and *Willie Heister*, Company M, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Fred Merck*, Company D, and *Henry J. Brandon*, Company F, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

They will be directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *J. E. Maxfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, Savannah, Georgia, for duty.

74. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Rollin True*, Company I, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, now at Jacksonville, Florida, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

He will be sent to Savannah, Georgia, where he will report to Lieutenant Colonel *J. E. Maxfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

75. The acquittal of 2d Class Private *John F. Weedon*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, recently tried by general court-martial at Willets Point, New York, on charge of violation of the 62d Article of War, found not guilty and acquitted, is approved, and he will be released and restored to duty.

76. Leave of absence for two months is granted Captain *George S. Anderson*, 6th U. S. Cavalry.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederick Perkins*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 264, November 8, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Azel Ames*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 30, November 17, 1898, Department of Porto Rico, is extended ten days.

79. Paragraph 26, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, relating to Corporal *C. C. Keene*, Company H, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

80. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles M. Rapp*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *John E. Remington*, Company I, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Santiago, Cuba,

will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

82. Under instructions from the President, Captain *Magnus O. Hollis*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is relieved by the Secretary of War from further duty as professor at the Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical College, Auburn, Alabama.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Magnus O. Hollis*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer in connection with the muster out of service of Alabama volunteers, and will proceed to join his command. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. Leave of absence for one month to take effect on the date of his relief as assistant mustering officer for the State of Alabama, is granted Captain *Magnus O. Hollis*, 4th U. S. Infantry.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George E. French*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer in connection with the muster out of service of Illinois volunteers, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Roy B. Harper*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer in connection with the muster out of service of Illinois volunteers, and will proceed to join his command. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *W. H. Miller*, Chief Quartermaster of Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Anniston, Alabama, and report by letter to the commanding officer of the 4th Army Corps, at Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to duty as Chief Quartermaster of the 2d Division of that corps, relieving Major *Otto H. Falk*, Chief Quartermaster of Volunteers, of those duties. Major *Falk*, upon being so relieved, is hereby assigned as special inspector of the Quartermaster's Department (Act approved

July 7, 1898), under the direction of the Quartermaster General, and while so acting shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. After transferring his accountability to Major *Miller*, Lieutenant Colonel *Falk* will report by letter to the Quartermaster General for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Matthew Leepere*, U. S. Army, now on duty at the John Blair Gibbs Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky, will report in person to Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer at that place, for duty.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John C. McArthur*, 3d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer in connection with the muster out of service of Wisconsin volunteers, and will proceed to join his command. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

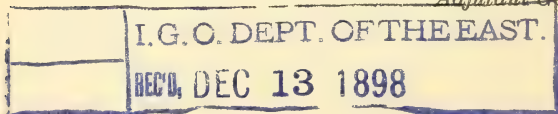
90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James P. Sherwin*, Adjutant, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

91. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Patrick W. Gannon*, Company D, and *Willard W. Phaneuf*, Company M, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Brady, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

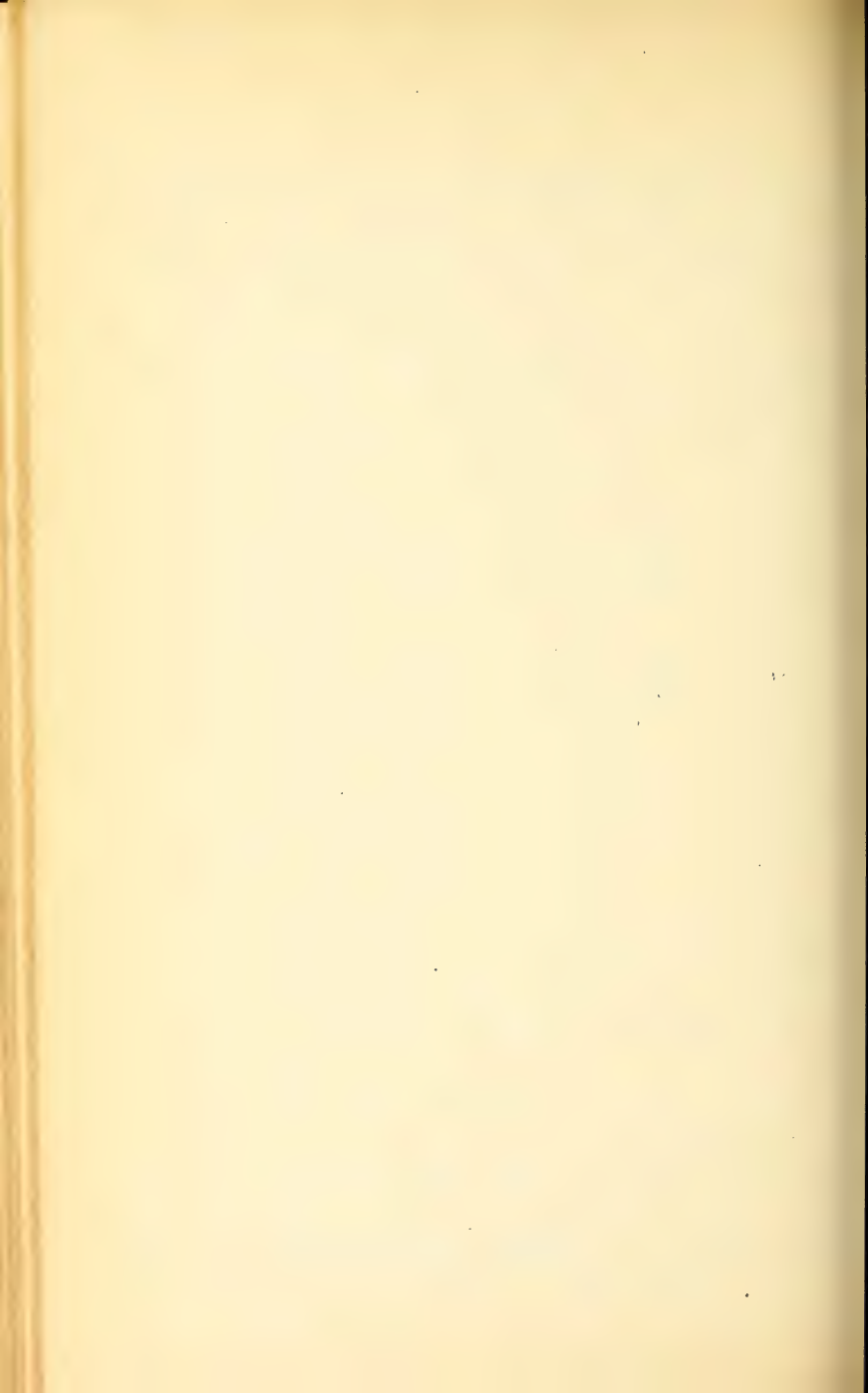
92. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *A. Ross Morgan*, Hospital Corps, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 292. } Washington, December 12, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second class Private *Martin J. Beere*, Company B, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *Charles J. Whitis*, Troop K, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Henry McKenna*, Troop D, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *James R. Dawson*, Troop E, 7th U. S. Cavalry, Macon, Georgia;

Private *Edgar Fuller*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Point, Texas;

Private *Ishmael E. Carver*, Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Carl F. Ruhlman*, Band, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Sergeant *William H. Ashe* and Privates *Arthur Halliwell* and *John J. Martin*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Fred A. Lee*, Company E, 5th U. S. Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Privates *William T. Comingore*, Company C, and *George J. Gottschilk*, Company I, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *John O'Brien*, Company L, 19th U. S. Infantry, Ponce, Porto Rico;

Private *Robert E. L. Park*, Company B, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward J. Weidner*, Battery B, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations this soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

Inspector General.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Flagler*, Company E, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at An-niston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wallace Noel*, Troop C, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now at Nuevitas, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George A. Miles*, Company E, 4th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the tele-graphic instructions of December 7, 1898, from this office, di-recting the discharge from the service of the United States of Private *Griffin S. Stephenson*, Hospital Corps, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, by the commanding officer of his station, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the fol-lowing-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now sup-posed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Henry L. Tinker*, Field Hospital, 1st Brigade, 1st Division, Coamo, Porto Rico;

Private *William H. Emory*, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia;

Private *William A. French*, 3d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Edward S. Presler*, U. S. General Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lewis D. Moulton*, Company —, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the com-manding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert Anderson*, Company E, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles K. Frazer*, Troop E, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Washakie, Wyoming, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *William R. Jones*, Company L, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *Henry K. Wheeler*, Troop E, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now at Puerto Principe, Cuba, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of his troop will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from his present station. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

13. Private *John F. Sheehy*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop E, 3d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

14. Private *Elbert M. Robinson*, Troop H, 6th U. S. Cavalry, attached to Battery B, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at San

Juan, Porto Rico, is transferred to the 5th U. S. Cavalry at that station. He will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a troop.

15. Private *August Streichert*, Company F, 19th U. S. Infantry, attached to Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Gussie H. Menger*, Company I, 16th U. S. Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home in St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of recruiting officer, Third and Olive streets, St. Louis, Missouri. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William H. Womble*, Company I; Corporal *John W. Penn*, Company K, and Private *Arch R. Beckes*, Company M, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry G. Smith*, Company E, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Artificer *Thomas W. Davis*, Company C; Privates *Fred A. Brower*, Company I, and *Henry O. Goukleo*, Company L, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Francis H. Pope*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 162, November 11, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Benjamin M. Hartshorne, jr.*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 202, August 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Romulus F. Walton*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 234, October 4,

1898, from this office, is further extended to include December 31, 1898, on account of sickness.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *George B. Pritchard, jr.*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to Brigadier General *William W. Gordon*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. Leave of absence until January 10, 1899, is granted by the Secretary of War to Cadet *Frederick D. Griffith, jr.*, 4th Class, U. S. Military Academy.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *A. M. Fernandez de Ybarra*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Tampa, Florida, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Battalion, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, on Friday, December 16, 1898, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 74, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges 1st Lieutenant *Joseph D. Wood*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, from the service of the United States, to take effect December 14, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War to take effect December 31, 1898.

25. The journey from Fernandina to Pablo Beach, Florida, about October —, 1898, performed by Major *Aaron H. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army, on official business pertaining to duty on board of survey, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *F. L. Conklin*, 1st North Dakota Volunteer Infantry, having been absent from his regiment, on account of sickness, since August 31, 1898, and it being reported that he will not be able to return to duty for some months to come, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, on account of physical disability, to take effect December 31, 1898.

27. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *S. S. Derman*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 259, paragraph 9, November 2, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

28. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *John J. Boniface*, 17th U. S. Infantry, is extended five days on account of sickness.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry R. Carter*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 260, November 3, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *George E. Hulick* and Private *Joseph Coyte*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Arthur D. Roberts*, Company G, and *Victor S. Blair*, Company I, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Elem T. Crislip*, Company L, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *R. F. Henry*, Battery B, California Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Lawrence R. Kelch*, Company C, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Guy C. Strock*, Company C; *Edwin F. Niles*, Company D; *Otis G. Gilbert* and *Howard Parker*, Company K, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph H. Morrisey*, Battery C, 1st Maine Volunteer Artillery;

Private *Herbert L. Ayres*, Company E, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter C. Parmenter*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William D. Barber*, Company H, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Frederick G. Meyerholtz*, Corporal *Frank F.*

Slinger, Privates *Charles B. Miner*, *Arthur G. Orme*, *Frank S. Roosa*, and *Robert A. Stein*, Company C, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Charles J. King*, Company A, and *Harry D. Wilcoxon*, Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry McKenzie*, Company D, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jonathan N. Patton*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Montauk to New York City, New York, and report in person to the Depot Quartermaster at that place for temporary duty, and on completion thereof will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Major *Charles R. Miller*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 261, November 4, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include January 1, 1899.

34. By direction of the President, Major *Charles R. Miller*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 1, 1899, his services being no longer required.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles W. Conner*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 251, paragraph 26, October 24, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

36. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington*, December 9, 1898.

Cadet *Louis Soléliac, jr.*, 2d Class, U. S. Military Academy, having been tried and found guilty of violation of paragraphs 132 and 161, Regulations for the U. S. Military Academy, by a general court-martial convened at West Point, New York, was sentenced, "To be suspended from the U. S. Military Academy without pay until August 28, 1899, and to join the then Second Class."

By direction of the President, the sentence in the foregoing case of

Cadet *Louis Soléliac, jr.*, 2d Class, U. S. Military Academy, is confirmed and will be duly executed.

G. D. MEIKLEJOHN,
Assistant Secretary of War.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Frank de L. Carrington*, 8th California Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 1st U. S. Infantry), is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the States of Oregon and Washington, and will proceed to join his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. H. Spiller*, U. S. Army, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Bath, Maine, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. transport "Mohawk" for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. Leave of absence for one month, to take effect December 1, 1898, on account of sickness, is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Henry Carroll*, 6th U. S. Cavalry.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank Taylor*, 14th U. S. Infantry, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the States of Oregon and Washington.

41. The journeys performed by Major *William M. Coulling*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, under orders from Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Depot Quartermaster, U. S. Army, on official business pertaining to the refitting of transports, on November 29 and December 2, 1898, from New York City, New York, to Bath, Maine, and return; December 2 and 3, 1898, from New York City, New York, to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and return, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Cornelius Gardner*, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, is appointed special inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, for the purpose of acting on lumber and other quartermaster's supplies in the camps at Knoxville, Tennessee, requiring the action of an inspector, and for which Major *David Hemphill*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is responsible.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George H. Torney*, surgeon, is detailed as a member of the examining board convened at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Or-

ders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, and 2d Lieutenant *Lorrain T. Richardson*, 20th U. S. Infantry, is detailed as recorder thereof, *vice* Major *John M. Banister*, surgeon, and 1st Lieutenant *Ulysses G. Worrilow*, 20th U. S. Infantry, recorder, who are hereby relieved.

44. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Charles H. Morgan*, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

45. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Cushman A. Rice*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 275, paragraph 32, November 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Francis M. Rolan*, is amended to read: Company M, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry, instead of "Company D of that regiment."

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Harry S. Crowley*, Company E, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read, "Private *Harry S. Comery*, Company E, of that regiment."

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Evans*, Company K, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank F. Glazier*, Company D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now on sick furlough at 241 East South street, Indianapolis, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward discharge and final statements to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 25, Special Orders, No. 264, November 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank Wolfe*, Company K, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 34, Special Orders, No. 287, December 6, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *William Daugherty*, Company E, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *R. C. Roberdeau*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect January 1, 1899.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William Jennings Bryan*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

54. Leave of absence for thirty days on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *J. A. McMillan*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Major *Josiah Pierce, jr.*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 24, November 11, 1898, Department of Porto Rico, is extended to include December 28, 1898.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Leigh A. Fuller*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed at once to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer, 2d U. S. Artillery, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jefferson D. Poindexter*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed from Fort Hamilton, New York, to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Lakes. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles L. Heizmann*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, and will proceed to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Gulf. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. The journey from Santiago, Cuba, to New York City, New York, on or about October 14, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *A. M. Fernandez de Ybarra*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War, as having been necessary for the public service.

60. The journey from Utica, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, on or about July 21 to 31, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *J. M. Sweeney*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Llewellyn P. Williamson*, U. S. Army, will proceed from St. Louis to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. The journey from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to Santiago, Cuba, under telegraphic instructions from the office of the Surgeon General of July 2, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. P. Chamberlain*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *William M. Day*, Company C, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, now at Columbia, Tennessee, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company C, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

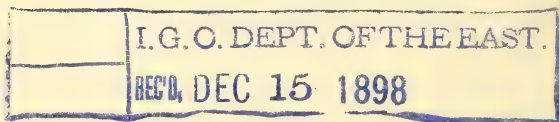
64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Benjamin Johnson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Lexington, Kentucky, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and, on arrival there of the U. S. Transport "Manitoba," on or about the 15th instant, will temporarily relieve Captain *Homer F. Aspinwall*, As-

sistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of his duties as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on that transport. Captain *Aspinwall*, on being thus relieved, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. By direction of the President, Major *William A. Wadsworth*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 12, 1898, his services being no longer required.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 293. } Washington, December 13, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Captain *Fayette W. Roe*, 3d U. S. Infantry, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application after thirty years' service, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

2. Leave of absence for three months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Lieutenant Colonel *William S. McCaskey*, 2d U. S. Infantry.

3. Leave of absence for one month to take effect on the date of his relief as assistant mustering officer is granted Major *Charles A. Coolidge*, 7th U. S. Infantry.

4. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Harry R. Lee*, 6th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Ohio, to take effect December 15, 1898, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles H. McGill*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas H. Wilson*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 261, November 4, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include December 31, 1898, on account of sickness.

7. Paragraph 38, Special Orders, No. 290, December 9, 1898, from this office, as further extends the sick leave of absence of 1st Lieutenant *Edwin S. Geist*, is amended so as to further extend the sick leave of absence of 1st Lieutenant *Edwin S. Geist*, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, ten days on account of sickness.

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8. The leave of absence for fifteen days granted 1st Lieutenant *Linville H. Wardwell*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, from headquarters, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended to include December 13, 1898.

9. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Linville H. Wardwell*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

10. The journey performed by Captain *Samuel N. Bridgman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, from Camp Meade, Pennsylvania, to Augusta, Georgia, under the provisions of paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

11. The journeys performed by 1st Lieutenant *William F. Flynn*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, from Kansas City, Missouri, to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, about November 23, 1898, and from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to Kansas City, Missouri, about November 30, 1898, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *A. W. Ridgway*, Company B, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Sergeant *Eber F. Stevenson*, Company E, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Allen J. Coughenour*, *Arthur E. Thompson*, and *Augustus F. Weese*, Company —, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *John F. Culbertson* and *Frank Green*, Company D, and *John P. Ramsey*, Company H, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Michael J. Breen*, Company E, and *Harry J. Fitzgerald*, Company F, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *John W. Alexander*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Needam B. Wilson*, Company K, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Hugh Davenport*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Frederick C. Morcom*, and Private *William A. Schlemmer*, 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *Arnold Walser*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William Lee*, Company C, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Loris L. Johnson*, Company L, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Charles Lane, jr.*, Company A, and *Lawrence Drennen*, Company B, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Pearl Bogue*, Company A, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 8, 1898, from this office,

directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *William C. Kessler*, Company D, and *Frank L. Mundorff*, Company I, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Walter A. Hendricks*, Company C, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *D. S. Shearer*, Company E, and Chief Musician *Christian P. Frank*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *Dudley A. Deland*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Alvin Day*, Company I, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Edwin Landy*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the general hospital there. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Siebert*, Company F, 11th U. S. Infantry, now on detached service as telegraph operator at Las Marias, Porto Rico, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report by letter to Lieutenant Colonel *W. A. Glassford*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, San Juan, Porto Rico, for duty.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry C. Flora*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now on sick furlough at his home, Paxton, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the sta-

tions designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William T. Wheatley*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Edward Fegley*, Company F, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Ivan Lakso*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *James A. Barker*, Hospital Corps, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joshua Williams*, Company A, 5th U. S. Infantry, now a patient at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson General Hospital will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that hospital. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to the station of his company as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Post Quartermaster Sergeant *Henry N. Clark*, now at Montauk Point, New York, will be sent to 39 Whitehall street, New York, New York. From there he will be sent to Santiago, Cuba, on the next U. S. transport sailing for that place, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding general for duty.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Thomas Griffith*, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be sent to Allegheny Arsenal, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

26 By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital

Steward *Martin Simmel*, now on temporary duty at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is assigned to duty at that post.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William T. Getman*, Hospital Corps, Fort Wadsworth, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Rundus*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Duffin*, Company G, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Fitzhugh C. Benham*, Company G, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Benjamin F. Meyer*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at 39 Whitehall street, New York, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by Major *Daniel M. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John L. Gerlach*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, is detailed as acting hospital steward, to date November 29, 1898, and assigned to duty at that post.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George L. McKeone*, Company M, 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will be sent to Macon, Georgia, and upon his arrival there will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Samuel Reber*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Gilbert G. Curry*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort Washington, Maryland;

Private *Aquilla Miles*, Battery K, 4th U. S. Artillery, Sheridan Point, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Ernest N. Bales*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his command, Savannah, Georgia, and will report upon his arrival there to the chief surgeon of that corps for duty. The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *D. J. Reece* and Corporal *Will F. Gardner*, Company G, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter A. Hodge*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Guy W. Atwood*, Company B, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *John W. Pittenger*, Company A, and *Samuel Stickle*, Company K, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Jules Saunders*, Private *Charles I. Colleps*, Company B; Corporal *George Quesenbury*, Privates *John L. Dilbeck*, *Selwyn P. Rogers*, *Samuel E. Taylor*, Company C; Corporals *Eldridge McCanless*, *Jordan B. Williams*, Privates *Claud Carder*, *Ed W. Ellis*, *Ernest C. Jordan*, Company D; *Stephen G. Sullivan*, Company E; *Jefferson C. Adams*, *Robert R. Bell*, *William P. Rose*, *Porter A. Strange*, Company H; *William T. Chaddick*, *Moses C. Wilson*, Company I; Corporal *William S. Lipscomb*, Company K; Privates *Sanford C. Davis*, *Alvin C. Henderson*, Company L, and Sergeant *Lewis V. Reid*, Company M, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Charles H. Finley*, Company A, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James J. Delaney*, Company M, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James P. O'Neil*, Company B, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *George L. D. Carpenter*, Company C, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John J. Walsh*, Company B, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas J. O'Connor*, Company A, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, now on sick furlough at 197 Main street, Buffalo, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge and final statements to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Albert M. Eldridge*, Company F, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lonzia M. Esco*, Company B, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Nuevitas, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel D. Parker*, Company D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now supposed to be at Havana, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Charles M. Kurtz*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now supposed to be under medical treatment at Fort Wadsworth, New York Harbor, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *Austin A. Perry*, Company —, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, to Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Privates *George Edmonda* and *Percy Hampton*, Battery A, Missouri Volunteer Artillery, to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred. H. Gilmore*, Company —, 1st Nebraska Volunteer Infan-

try, now on sick furlough at Campbell, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge and final statements to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Nelson E. Laidacker*, Hospital Corps, 1st Army Corps, now supposed to be at Macon, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Sergeant *Arthur F. Cole*, Company E, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Privates *D. K. Pavey*, Company L, and *William H. Drake*, Company E, 1st Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, to the 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 12, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *Charles E. Cowper*, Company L, 34th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, to the 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 20, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *Harry B. Hanford*, Company G, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 15, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Privates *Maurice Cohnhum* and *Frank Woods*, Band, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the transfer of Private *James W. Cochran*, Company L, 22d New York Volunteer Infantry, to the 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 9, 1898, directing the transfer to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Alan Tarr*, Company K, 5th Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jason L. Cousins*, Company L, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

57. The following-named enlisted men, now at Boston, Massachusetts, are transferred to the 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that regiment, Americus, Georgia:

Privates *Arthur W. Stowe*, Company E; *George A. Douglass*, Company H, and *Patrick Hickey*, Company K, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 23, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *George R. Newton*, Company C, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, to Company A, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William E. Whiston*, Company A, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Pinar del Rio, Cuba;

Privates *Millard F. Guinn*, Company G, and *Walter T. Applewhite*, Company L, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Santa Clara, Cuba;

Private *Claude Murray*, Company M, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Privates *W. E. Mayo*, Company A, *Carl N. Gness*, Company E, and *A. M. Griffin*, Company I, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, Nuevitas, Cuba;

Privates *George L. Hinman*, Company A, *Cannon Forbes*, Company G, and *Newton Hanson*, Company K, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

60. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Arthur D. Rehm*, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 152, 7th Army Corps, November 5, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Fred A. Bitner*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

62. The extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *E. W. Hersh*, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 270, paragraph 34, November 16, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles H. Clark*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed six visits from Benicia Arsenal to the Presidio of San Francisco, California, on official business pertaining to the inspection and erection of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. Leave of absence for fourteen days is granted Major *David C. Peyton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

65. By direction of the President, Captain *Thomas H. Simms*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 15, 1899, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edward H. Martin*, 21st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 264, November 12, 1898, Department of the East, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 51, Special Orders, No. 286, December 5, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Wallace S. Chapman*, U. S. Army, is amended to read "Acting Assistant Surgeon *Walter S. Chapman*, U. S. Army."

68. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Charles B. Schofield*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 244, October 15, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month.

69. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted 1st Lieutenant *George C. Burnell*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, assistant to the General Superintendent, Army Transport Service, will proceed from New York City, New York, to Bath, Maine, on official business pertaining to the refitting of the Transport "Mohawk" at that place, under such instructions as may be communicated to him by the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William Weigel*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed from this city to Port Tampa, Florida, and from thence *via* Plant Steamship Company's steamer sailing from that port on Saturday, December 17, 1898, for Havana, Cuba, where on arrival he will report to the commanding general of the U. S. forces, for assignment to duty under the direction of Brigadier General *Charles F. Humphrey*, U. S. Volunteers, Chief Quartermaster at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert P. P. Wainwright*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, chief mustering officer at Springfield, Illinois, will proceed to and assume his duties at Chicago, Illinois. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. The extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Battle*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 265, November 9, 1898, from this office, is still further extended to December 21, 1898.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edgar B. Robertson*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, Chief Quartermaster, 1st Division, 4th Army Corps, will be relieved from that duty by an officer now at Huntsville, Alabama, to be designated by the commanding general of that corps, and will pro-

ceed at once to Tampa, Florida. and from thence *via* Plant Steamship Company's steamer sailing from that port Saturday, December 17, 1898, to Havana, Cuba, where on arrival he will report to the commanding general of the U. S. forces for assignment to duty, under instructions of the Chief Quartermaster at that place. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75 By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 54, Special Orders, No. 287, December 6, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Oscar J. Brown*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is amended so as to direct him to proceed January 15, 1899, to join his regiment.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Graham D. Fitch*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 249, October 21, 1898, from this office, is still further extended four days.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *J. Y. Mason Blunt*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Cavalry), is relieved from further duty as Acting Commissary of Subsistence at the Leiter U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia.

78. Lieutenant Colonel *Andrew S. Rowan*, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from duty at Headquarters of the Army, to take effect January 2, 1899, when he will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Raphael T. Brown*, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, chief mustering officer at Lexington, Kentucky, will proceed to and assume his duties at Louisville, Kentucky. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, are made:

First Lieutenant *Charles Keller* is relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Captain *Curtis McD. Townsend*,

at Rock Island, Illinois, to take effect January 9, 1899, and will proceed to and take station at Portland, Maine, and report in person to Major *Solomon W. Roessler*, for duty under his immediate orders;

First Lieutenant *George P. Howell* is relieved from duty under the immediate orders of Major *Roessler*, at Portland, Maine, and will proceed to Willets Point, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School;

Second Lieutenant *William P. Wooten* is relieved from duty at Willets Point, New York, with the Battalion of Engineers and at the U. S. Engineer School, and will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. forces for duty with Company A, Battalion of Engineers. Lieutenant *Wooten* is authorized to delay fifteen days *en route*.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, are made:

First Lieutenant *Odus C. Horney* is relieved from duty at Rock Island Arsenal, Illinois, and assigned to duty at Springfield Armory, Massachusetts;

First Lieutenant *George W. Burr* is relieved from duty at Watervliet Arsenal, New York, and assigned to duty at Rock Island Arsenal, Illinois.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

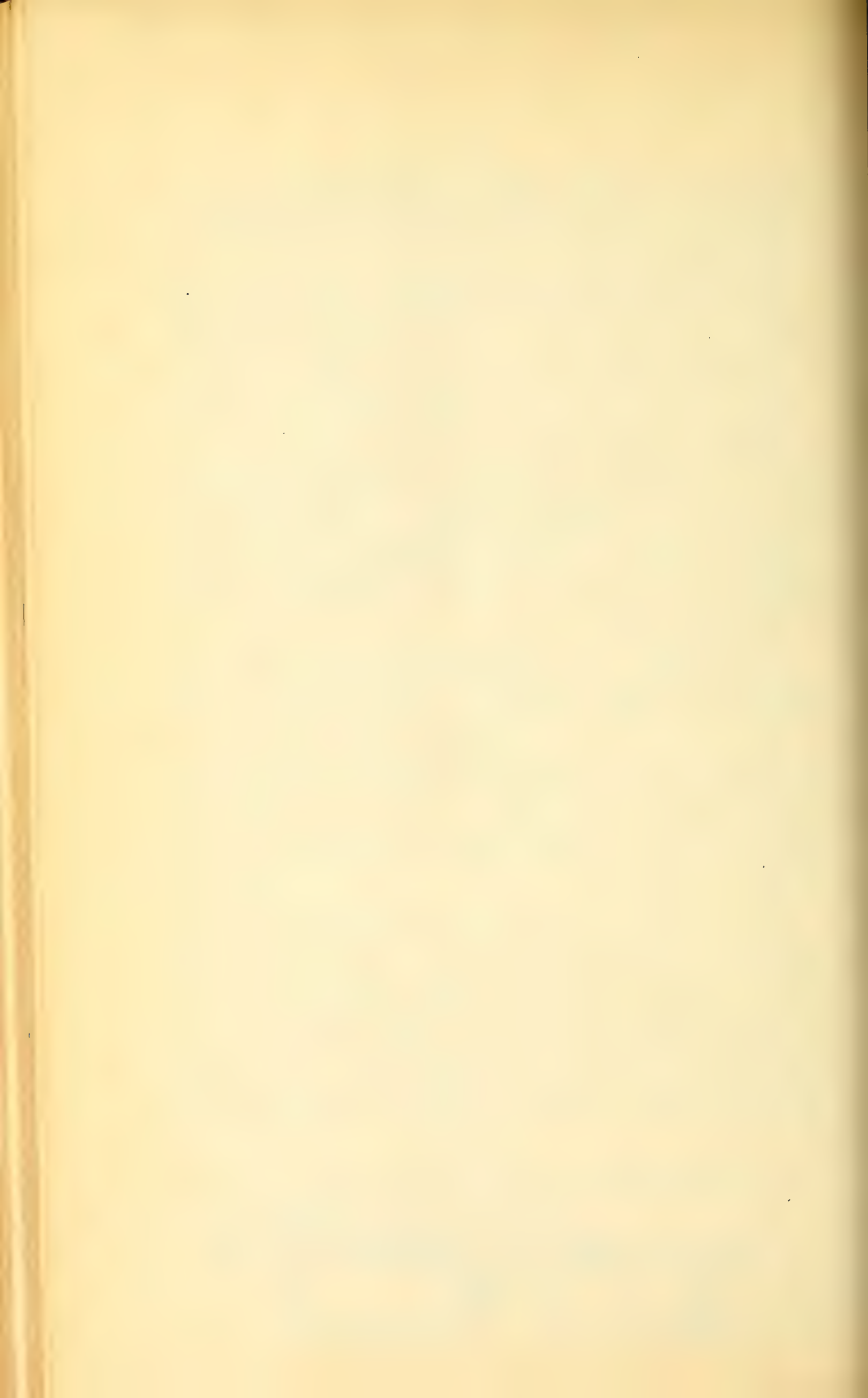
83. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Julius T. Conrad*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, on completion of his duties pertaining to the muster out of volunteer troops, will proceed to the headquarters of the 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, and report in person to Major General *Samuel S. Sumner*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Assistant General.

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SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 294. } Washington, December 14, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Frederic R. Whipple*, Recruit Detachment, General Service, Fort Slocum, New York, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date December 12, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Yervant O. Conchegul*, Battery I, 7th U. S. Artillery, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date December 12, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas L. Petty*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home in Hempstead, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 2d Division Ambulance Company, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Burtis H. Limerick*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Frank J. Duffy*, Battery D, 7th U. S. Artillery, Portland Head, Maine;

Private *Georgie Law*, Company I, 8th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge of Private *Willard L. Case*, Troop K, 5th U. S. Cavalry, by the commanding officer of Fort Slocum, New York, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

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6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Joseph Smith*, Band, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

7. Corporal *Henry Heincke*, Company B, 10th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Havana, Cuba, will report to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for duty in the office of the chief surgeon of that corps

8. Private *Fred D. Fowler*, Troop L, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of his regiment will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that station. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William J. Massey*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at his home, No. 159 Twelfth street, Long Island City, New York, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. Major *Daniel M. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that station. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 289, December 8, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Otto F. Ewert*, Troop A, 5th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto F. Ewert*, Troop A, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now on sick fur-

lough at his home, 543 Sixteenth street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Gammon*, Battery G, 2d U. S. Artillery, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Clarence C. Rush*, Company A, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be absent sick at South Bend, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles P. Champion*, Company F, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Francis M. Wetmore*, Company E, and Corporal *George H. Welker*, Company K, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Arthur J. Koenigstein*, Company G, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *Charles O. Holmes*, Company M, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant Major *Granville M. Tilghman*, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph M. Burrell*, Company H, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Sophus Knudson*, Company —, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Will Rhine*, Company E 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *William S. Kelly*, Battery A, and Private *Samuel A. Craig*, Battery G, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Paul R. Spencer*, Company B, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ernest W. Jones*, Company C, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frank Morris*, Company C, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Augus J. Thompson*, Company C, and Private *James M. Brooks*, Company H, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James L. Gallagher*, Company E, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William M. Pierce*, Company A, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, are transferred to the Hospital Corps:

Private *Gomer Griffiths*, Battery B; Private *William S. Carney*, Battery D; Private *Harry M. Wyman*, Battery E; Private *Harry Seittlin*, Battery G; Private *Ernest L. Humes*, Battery H; Private *William I. Peabody*, Battery I; Private *James Snyder*, Battery K; Private *Peter V. Fernandes*, Battery L; Private *Frank Gilroy*, Battery M.

The commanding officer, 2d U. S. Artillery, will order them to report for duty with the Hospital Corps detachment of that regiment.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Nathaniel E. Vernon*, Company G, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Raymond A. Ferris*, Company K, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert Johnson*, Company C, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Frank W. Wheeler*, Company K, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George F. Slater*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

First class Sergeant *Charles O. Wilette*, 16th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *Armound De L'Aigle Sadler*, Company M, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry:

Private *Herbert G. Lowe*, Company F, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Daniel R. Lucas*, Company C, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Richard P. Norton* and Corporal *James F. Watson*, Company G, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Robert L. French* and *James W. Stringfellow*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *William P. Collins*, *William Tremear*, *Herschel M. Hamby*, *Earl C. Loop*, *Z. W. Moss*, and *Franklin Ott*, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Omer C. Bates*, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, Field Hospital, camp near Coamo, Porto Rico;

Private *Ralph E. Patrick*, Fort Myer, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert W. Griffin*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. Paragraph 31, Special Orders, No. 289, December 8, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Theodore Schoge*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *W. V. Rinehart, jr.*, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

35. Paragraph 94 of Special Orders, No. 288, December 7, 1898, from this office, extending the leave of absence granted Captain *Claude L. Clark*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, fifteen days, is revoked, and leave of absence is granted him to include January 6, 1899.

36. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry W. Jenkins*, Quartermaster, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 277, paragraph 16, November 23, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

37. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Frederick Marsh*, 1st U. S. Artillery.

38. The extension of leave of absence granted Captain *George H. Clark*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 275, paragraph 33, November 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

39. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Lester W. Cornish*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 174, November 24, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

40. Leave of absence for seven days is granted Captain *Abner H. Merrill*, 1st U. S. Artillery.

41. By direction of the President, Brigadier General *Michael V. Sheridan*, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned by the Secretary of War to the temporary command of the Department of the Lakes, to relieve Brigadier General *John M. Bacon*, U. S. Volunteers, and will repair to Chicago, Illinois, and enter upon duty accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. The leave of absence granted Major *Willoughby Walke*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 74, December 8, 1898, Headquarters, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

43. Sergeant *Patrick Daly*, Company B, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, and Private *M. A. Brady*, Hospital Corps, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 190, Headquarters, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, December 10, 1898, will return to their proper station, with permission to delay until December 27, 1898.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 57, Special Orders, No. 289, December 8, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *William M. Wright*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Wright*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia, for assignment to duty as Assistant Adjutant General, 2d Brigade, 1st Division, of that corps.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William C. Buttler*, 3d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant to the chief mustering officer for the State of New Jersey, and will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. First Lieutenant *S. J. Bayard Schindel*, 3d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty with the 6th U. S. Infantry, and will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Willis Uline*, 12th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Missouri, to take effect December 31, 1898, and will then proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Louis F. Schultz*, Company A, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Alfred E. Bradley*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, commanding the U. S. Hospital Ship "Relief," will proceed from New York City, New York, to this city, on official business pertaining to the Medical Department, and report in person to the Surgeon General of the Army, and on completion of this duty will return to New York City, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward C. Carey*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Anniston, Alabama, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, for duty as Adjutant General of that brigade. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George P. Vallean*, Company —, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry;

Private *DeWitt C. Donnell*, Company A, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William T. Brown*, Company G, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations these soldiers are not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished them.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Louis N. Udell*, Company C, 34th Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *J. D. Henry*, Company D, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Joseph J. Kormann*, Company A, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *George C. McKibben*, Company A, 13th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas H. George*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the train. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Henry W. Hudson*, Battery C, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lucius Bartolomey*, Company E, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles C. Davis*, Company H, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, Havana, Cuba;

Private *Rufus S. Patty*, Company D, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Santa Clara, Cuba;

Private *Wilbur B. Moorman*, Company A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, Havana, Cuba;

Privates *Charles W. Kenney*, *Louis J. Kenney*, Company D, and *Ignatz Hetzler*, Company I, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Pinar del Rio, Cuba.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *John H. Houck, jr.*, Company D, 14th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date December 12, 1898, by the Adjutant General of the Army:

Sergeant *Edmond Honvery*, Battery K, 4th U. S. Artillery;
Sergeant *Louis Lindner*, Battery C, 4th U. S. Artillery;
Principal Musician *Adolph Kudlich*, 6th U. S. Artillery;
Private *Anton Brem*, Battery H, 6th U. S. Artillery;
First Sergeant *Carl Flick*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery.
These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant Major *Richard W. Chubbedge*, 2d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Chase S. Robinson*, Company H, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Ralph W. Bliven*, Company D, 1st California Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Bismark Snyder*, Battery A, Utah Volunteer Artillery;

Private *William C. Finney*, 3d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Private *Charles Hinkle*, Company M, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First Sergeants *James S. Hazen*, Company H; *Leonard W. Williams*, Company G, and *Frederick H. Plummer*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant Major *John P. Cameron*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations of officers of the Medical Department are made:

Lieutenant Colonel *Henry Lippincott*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, now on duty as chief surgeon at Manila, Philippine Islands, is relieved from further station at Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Major *Valery Havard*, surgeon, U. S. Army, having reported to the Surgeon General of the Army, in compliance with paragraph 45, Special Orders, No. 233, October 3, 1898, from this office, and being under orders to return to duty at Santiago, Cuba, is relieved from further station at Fort Slo-cum, New York;

Major *W. Fitzhugh Carter*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty as chief surgeon, 1st Division, 4th Army Corps, at Huntsville, Alabama, is relieved from further station at Fort Assiniboine, Montana;

Major *Samuel Q. Robinson*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Santiago, Cuba, is relieved from further station at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory;

Major *William O. Owen*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), now on duty at Manila, Philippine Islands, is relieved from further station at Fort Bayard, New Mexico;

Major *William Stephenson*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), now on duty at Santiago, Cuba, is relieved from further station at Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Major *Henry S. T. Harris*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), now on duty with the 4th Army Corps at Huntsville, Alabama, is relieved from further station at Fort Washakie, Wyoming;

Major *Edgar A. Mearns*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), now on duty at Lexington, Kentucky, and under orders for duty as chief surgeon, 3d Division, 2d Army Corps, is relieved from further station at Fort Clark, Texas;

Major *William D. Crosby*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), now on duty at Manila, Philippine Islands, is relieved from further station at Fort Sam Houston, Texas;

Major *Edward R. Morris*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), now on duty at Manila, Philippine Islands, is relieved from further station at Fort Spokane, Washington;

Captain *Benjamin L. Ten Eyck*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Fort Riley, Kansas, is relieved from further station at the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas:

Captain *Harlan E. McVay*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Manila, Philippine Islands, is relieved from further station at Alcatraz Island, California;

Captain *William F. Lewis*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty with troops in Cuba, is relieved from further station at Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Captain *Ashton B. Heyl*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is relieved from further station at Fort Riley, Kansas;

First Lieutenant *Leigh A. Fuller*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, is relieved from further station at Fort Assiniboine, Montana;

First Lieutenant *William W. Quinton*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Santiago, Cuba, is relieved from further station at San Carlos, Arizona Territory;

First Lieutenant *Jere B. Clayton*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Manila, Philippine Islands, is relieved from further station at Fort Clark, Texas;

First Lieutenant *Henry A. Webber*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Camp A. G. Forse, Huntsville, Alabama, is relieved from further station at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory;

First Lieutenant *Bailey K. Ashford*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Mayaguez, Porto Rico, is relieved from further station at Fort St. Philip, Louisiana;

First Lieutenant *Henry Page*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, now on duty at Manila, Philippine Islands, is relieved from further station at the Presidio of San Francisco, California.

66. First Lieutenant *Wiley E. Jones*, 1st Territorial Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is relieved from further duty at Whipple Barracks, Arizona Territory, and will proceed without delay to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *George E. Libbey*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Captain *Ernest E. Jannicky*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry.

68. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *G. S. Taylor*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 282, paragraph 4 from this Office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

69. The leave of absence granted Colonel *David G. Colson*, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 177, November 27, 1898, Headquarters, 4th Army Corps, is extended ten days.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *Henry H. Taylor*, 3d North Carolina Volunteer Infantry.

71. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John S. Wise, jr.*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 265, November 9, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

72. The journeys from Jacksonville, Florida, to Washington, District of Columbia, and thence to Savannah, Georgia, performed by Major General *Fitzhugh Lee*, U. S. Volunteers, under telegraphic instructions of September 25, 1898, from the War Department, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

73. The travel from New York City, New York, to Bath, Maine, and return, performed by Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, Medical Superintendent of Army Transportation, on official business pertaining to the inspection of

the transport "Mohawk," under authority given by Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, Quartermaster's Department, Depot Quartermaster, New York City, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Irving W. Rand*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Du Chesne, Utah, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of California, for assignment to duty with troops going to Manila, Philippine Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. Leave of absence for one day is granted 2d Lieutenant *George H. Steel*, 19th U. S. Infantry.

76. The following transfers are made in the 6th U. S. Cavalry, to take effect this date:

Second Lieutenant *Harry H. Stout*, from Troop G to Troop M;

Second Lieutenant *John C. Raymond*, from Troop M to Troop G.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Brigadier General *Edgar R. Kellogg*, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 269, November 14, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Halstead Dorey*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Illinois, and will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. Leave of absence for one month is granted Major *Frank M. Hammond*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers.

80. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Carlos Carbonel*, 1st Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 10, 1899.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Amos B. Shattuck*, 25th U. S. Infantry, at the expiration of the sick leave of absence granted him by Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Tredwell W. Moore*, 22d U. S. Infantry.

83. Leave of absence for ten days to take effect about December 23, 1898, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery.

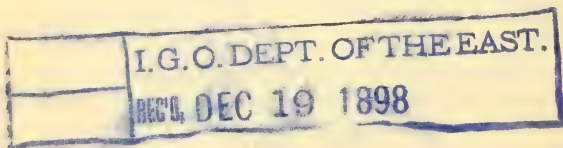
84. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of New Hampshire, to take effect upon the expiration of the leave of absence granted him in paragraph 83. Special Orders, No. 294, December 14, 1898, from this office, and will then report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Erasmus M. Weaver, jr.*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry (Captain, 1st U. S. Artillery), chief mustering officer at Boston, Massachusetts, for duty as assistant mustering officer. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Henry D. Borup*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeons *Elmer Anderson Dean* and *Arthur W. Smith*, U. S. Army, are relieved from duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and will proceed to Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for assignment to duty with the 3d U. S. Infantry, and by letter to the chief surgeon, Department of Dakota. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 295. } Washington, December 15, 1898.

1. Private *Edgar C. Loy*, Troop I, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Frank P. Turner*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be sent to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and will report upon arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty as telegraph operator.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 11, Special Orders, No. 270, November 15, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Frank Bowen*, Troop E, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Corwin W. Holibaugh*, Troop C, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the detail of *Louis H. Gerritsen*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, as acting hospital steward, is revoked, to date December 10, 1898. He will be sent to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and will report upon arrival at that post to the commanding officer for duty.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harvey H. Iler*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty on the hospital train.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward D. Powell*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Hunts-

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ville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George W. Hughes*, Company C, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *James C. Nichols* and *Charles O. Wolfe*, Company —, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert Nielsen*, Company G, 14th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William E. Lethco*, Light Battery F, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island;

Corporal *Saint Joseph Hucht*, Company H, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *Harrison T. Baker*, Company B, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 14, 1885, as amended by act of Congress approved September 30, 1890, the Assistant Secretary of War directs that the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, be, upon their own application, placed upon the retired list created by that act, to take effect upon receipt of this order at the posts, and repair to their homes:

Commissary Sergeant *George M. Berkel*, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia.

Chief Musician *Frederick Sieguer*, 10th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation. It being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind, commutation therefor will be paid in advance for the necessary number of days' travel. The journeys are necessary for the public service.

12. Private *Edward Ario*, Battery L, 6th U. S. Artillery, now at Montauk Point, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 3d U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. Private *William Blanchard*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is transferred to Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, stationed at that post.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Jones*, Hospital Corps, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

15. Private *James Shea*, Company A, 11th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Porter, New York, is transferred to the 13th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *James H. Livingston* (appointed December 12, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company I, 15th U. S. Infantry), now at Nuevitas, Cuba, to Holguin, Cuba;

Commissary Sergeant *William J. Browne* (appointed December 12, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company H, 6th U. S. Infantry), now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming.

The sergeants thus transferred will be sent to the new stations designated, and will report upon arrival to their respective commanding officers for duty.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 21, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Albert Dossenbach*, Company G, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James L. Grayell*, Company C, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Andrew R. Newton*, Battery B, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Fred. Brandt*, Company M, 1st Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Martin N. Murphy* and *Harry J. Scanlaw*, Company C, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frederick Von Schrader*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Middletown, Pennsylvania, to New York City, New York, in time to take passage on the hospital ship "Bay State," and proceed thereon to Jamaica, West Indies, under such instructions as he may receive from the Quartermaster General of the Army, and on completion of this duty, after arrival in this country, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William L. Alexander*, Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, in time to take passage on the hospital ship "Bay State," and proceed thereon to Jamaica, West Indies, under such instructions as he may receive from the Commissary General of Subsistence, and on completion of this duty, after arrival in this country, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas J. Kirkpatrick, jr.*, assistant surgeon, is detailed as

a member of the examining board convened at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, by Special Orders, No. 145, June 21, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *Benjamin L. Ten Eyck*, assistant surgeon, who is hereby relieved.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *J. Y. Mason Blunt*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 3d U. S. Cavalry), is relieved from further duty at the Leiter U. S. General Hospital, Chickamauga, Georgia, and will proceed at once to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. The extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Brooke Payne*, 5th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 277, November 29, 1898, Department of the East, is further extended one month.

24. By direction of the President, paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 283, December 1, 1898, from this office, honorably discharging 1st Lieutenant *John W. Cox*, assistant surgeon, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, on tender of resignation, to take effect December 31, 1898, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

25. The leave of absence heretofore granted Lieutenant Colonel *Archelaus M. Hughes*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is extended seven days.

26. Leave of absence for twenty days is granted Major *Jesse C. Chance*, 5th U. S. Infantry.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Major *John S. Witcher*, paymaster, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

28. Leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Edward O. C. Ord*, 22d U. S. Infantry.

29. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Edwin Landon*, 2d U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 286, December 5, 1898, from this office, is extended fourteen days.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James Moore*, Company —, 8th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Edmund P. Cobb*, Company G, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Harry C. Mathews*, Company I, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Frank J. Munn*, Company B, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Carson Kearns*, Company H, and *Charles Hurn*, Company K, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished them.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Wade S. Hayes*, Company E, and *Armand J. Mechin*, Company M, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *John May*, Company B, and *John Kolb*, Company K, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *James A. Ladd*, *James F. Quinn*, Battery A, and *Robert W. Langill*, Battery H, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery;

Private *George H. Pokormy*, 5th New York Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

First-class Private *Jules Yavner*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, Fort Independence, Massachusetts;

Private *William Weber*, Troop F, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Keogh, Montana;

Private *John J. Torpey*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *J. D. Cooper*, Troop L, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *William H. Swacker*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *George W. McKelvey*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Privates *Samuel Mailhoit*, Company B, and *Joseph B. Clooney*, Company C, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *James J. Fitzpatrick*, Company K, 12th U. S. Infantry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Michael J. Carroll*, Band, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Leo V. Edgbert*, *Edward R. Flagler*, *William D. Johnson*, *Roy W. Riggs*, *Robert A. Smith*, *Hiram W. Snyder*, *William H. Snodgrass*, and *Edward W. Waterhouse*, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *William F. Segur*, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Private *James M. Fetterman*, 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *William I. Dean*, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Robert I. Moore*, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *Iverson B. Clark*, Company —, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Henry D. Levy* and *Henry M. Marsh*, Battery D, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Thomas E. Hunt*, 5th New York Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *L. D. Baddley*, Company G, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Thomas H. Hart* and *Harry H. Pierson*, Company A, 1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *William S. Freeman*, Company F, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

First Sergeant *Henry R. Crane*, Troop D, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry;

First Sergeant *Harvey Mansfield*, Troop A, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Alton A. Clark*, Company —, and Hospital Steward *Julius C. Le Hardy, jr.*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert O. McIlwaine*, Company C, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Marion F. Baker*, *Joseph H. Brinkman*, and *William T. Moran*, Company C, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John S. Ormsby*, Company G, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Harry Casner*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *James J. Doran*, Company L, 5th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Adolpus Bliss*, Company H, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James Hamilton*, Company E, 21st Kansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *William Gardner, jr.*, Corporal *Charles C. Coulter*, Privates *Max Davis*, and *Louis J. Gillon*, Company E, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Eugene H. Swift*, Company M, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John W. Ross*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John J. Bergen*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal ——— *Call*, and Private *Joseph J. Holbrook*, Battery A, Utah Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *Irvin J. Lewis*, Battery A, Privates *Frederick W. Rink*, *Elwyn W. Thompson*, and *Gustave M. Wisnesky*, Battery C, 1st Massachusetts Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Austin Bowersack*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Merton E. Harrison*, Company A, 13th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Spencer Chickering*, Company D, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *James G. Espey*, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Frank J. Troutman*, Company D, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *William M. Black*, chief engineer, U. S. Volunteers (Major, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), is relieved from further duty in the office of the Chief of Engineers, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty as engineer officer on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. The leave of absence for twelve days granted 1st Lieutenant *L. L. Martz*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 72, 1st Army Corps, December 6, 1898, is extended one month.

60. Paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 102, 7th Army Corps, September 16, 1898, granting leave of absence for thirty days to 2d Lieutenant *Charles D. Pulis*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to grant 2d Lieutenant *Charles C. Pulis*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, thirty days leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability.

61. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, Major *George W. H. Stouch*, 20th U. S. Infantry (promoted from Captain, 3d U. S. Infantry, subject to examination), having been examined by a board of officers and found physically disqualified to perform the duties of a Major of Infantry by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement by the President from active service as a Major under the provisions of the act of Congress approved October 1, 1890, is announced,

to date from December 15, 1898. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty as Chief Commissary, 1st Army Corps, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Adjutant General of the Army for temporary duty, and on the completion thereof will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Donald Maclean, jr.*, U. S. Army, will proceed from Augusta, Georgia, to Detroit, Michigan, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. The leave of absence granted Major *Algernon A. Mabson*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 22, December 9, 1898, Headquarters, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended three days.

65. The travel from Camp Black, Hempstead, New York, to this city, about October 12, 1898, performed by Captain *William Weigel*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, recently appointed, under instructions from the Quartermaster General, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Edgar S. Dudley*, Judge Advocate, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in the office of the Judge Advocate General of the Army in this city, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, commanding the Division of Cuba, for assignment to duty as Judge Advocate of that division. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas U. Raymond*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, in addition to his other duties, is detailed as Medical Superintendent of Army Transport service at San Francisco, California.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William B. Homer*, 6th U. S. Artillery, chief mustering officer, Colum-

bia, Tennessee, is appointed special inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such quartermaster's stores as may be submitted to him at that place.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet at the War Department in this city at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, December 17, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to consider and report upon the proposed amendment of section 1144, Revised Statutes, and the proposed repeal of sections 1299 and 1300, Revised Statutes.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *George B. Davis*, Subsistence Department (Captain, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army);

Colonel *William S. Patten*, Quartermaster's Department (Major, Quartermaster, U. S. Army);

Major *Charles Shaler*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army;

Captain *Edward L. Munson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

Captain *George E. Sage*, 6th U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Hugh La F. Applewhite*, 6th U. S. Artillery, recorder.

70. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lemuel P. Cobb*, Company I, 11th U. S. Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, Hughesville, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William C. Young*, Company F, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Corporal *Charles Stainback*, Company L, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Santa Clara, Cuba.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George K. Pierce*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, attached to Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United

States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

73. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 70, Special Orders, No. 291, December 10, 1898, from this office, relating to Artificer *Brightwell*, Privates *Rustin*, *Aenchbacher*, and *Robbins*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

74. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Artificer *Richard E. Brightwell*, Company C; Privates *David L. Rustin*, Company D; *John Sam Aenchbacher*, Company H, and *Marvin V. Robbins*, Company L, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Ralph Finkelstein*, Company E, 2d Texas Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read, "Company E, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry."

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 13, 1898, from this office, directing the transfer of Private *Gilbert S. Wacker*, Company A, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. Palmer*, Hospital Corps, now at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Corrigan Tappan*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, now supposed to be in this city, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,

Adjutant General

I.G.O. DEPT. OF THE EAST.

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SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 296. } Washington, December 16, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael Luery*, Company G, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 15, Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Wallace H. Jones*, Troop I, 1st U. S. Cavalry, is amended to read, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, instead of "Columbus Barracks, Ohio."

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Peter Sherlock*, Battery L, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Barrancas, Florida, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William N. Osburn*, Hospital Corps, now at recruiting station, 145 North Cherry street, Nashville, Tennessee, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama. He will report upon his arrival there to the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James F. Olson*, Company M, 7th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at Boston, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Fort Brady, Michigan, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John F. O'Hara*, Company L, 7th U. S. Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Fred H. Nichols*, Company M, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred to the Hospital Corps

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as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Clarence N. Utterback*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert V. Johnson*, Company C, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank A. Horton*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Camp Onward, Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the camp the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *George Brandenburger*, Battery E, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Charles J. Marhefka*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Henry Dailey*, Company L, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Privates *James M. Rector* and *James Davis*, Hospital Corps, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Edward J. Hall*, Hospital Corps, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *Nicholas P. Oglesby*, Hospital Corps, Guayama, Porto Rico;

Private *Austin Funk*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division Hospital, 2d Army Corps, Greenville, South Carolina.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *James Kirby*, Company H, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Frederick T. May*, Company C, and *George Holland*, Company M, 3rd New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Henry E. Duckstien*, Company L, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Charles A. Collins*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *J. M. Smithers, jr.*, Company B, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Charles S. Fisher*, Company D, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Artificer *John J. Ozment*, Company A, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Street McCauley*, Company F, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Floyd E. West*, Company G, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Musician *James T. Mullen*, Company E; Corporal *William T. Buck*, Privates *Abraham L. Rodgers*, Company I, and *George L. Silpath*, Company K, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Louis W. Miller*, Company G, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William G. Needham*, Company G, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Theodore D. Pratt*, Company E, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William R. King*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *R. M. Hudson*, Company L, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 2d Lieutenant *Alexander M. Miller, jr.*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Major *Frank H. Edmunds*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 264, November 8, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

17. Captain *George P. Ahern*, 9th U. S. Infantry, is transferred from Company A to Company M of that regiment.

18. The extension of leave of absence, on surgeon's certificate of disability, granted 2d Lieutenant *James N. Pickering*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 254, October 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

19. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Josiah W. Howe*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

20. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Arthur Cranston*, 17th U. S. Infantry.

21. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Charles A. Clark*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect February 15, 1899, his services being no longer required.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John N. Goltra*, U. S. Army, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and upon arrival will report to the commanding general of that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service by the President, December 15, 1898, of Lieutenant Colonel *Johnson V. D. Middleton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, by operation of law, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 30, 1882, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. By direction of the President, Lieutenant Colonel *Charles R. Barnett*, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, is honorably discharged as Lieutenant Colonel and Quartermaster of volunteers only by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 15, 1898.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *James P. Lavin*, Company L, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry are hereby confirmed.

This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Privates *John N. McQuade*, Company E; *Claude J. Neiss*, Company G, and 1st Sergeant *William W. Hill*, Company L, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *James H. Magee*, Company H, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

28. Private *Charles Freedman*, unassigned, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop M, 7th U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the station of that troop, Macon, Georgia, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding officer for duty.

29. Corporal *David H. Barr*, Company M, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Madison Barracks, New York, is transferred as private to Company M, 9th U. S. Infantry, at that post.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred L. Gerlach*, Troop K, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred C. Duckworth*, Company B, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William Ernest Killian*, Company B, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Erastus B. Griffiths*, Company D, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John V. Denise*, Company I, 3rd New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas L. Engleby*, Company G, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Rene G. Pechin*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John B. Laverty*, Company —, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James J. Walsh*, Company I, 14th U. S. Infantry, now at Manila, Philippine Islands, is transferred as 2d class private to Company A, Battalion of Engineers, at that station.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Julius W. Mead*, Company A, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. Private *Alfred H. Vance*, Company F, 11th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the 17th U. S. Infantry at that post. He will report to the commanding officer of that post for assignment to a company.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Thomas C. Barlow*, Company H, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Martin J. Kavanaugh*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at 136 Van Buren street, Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the hospital at San Juan, Porto Rico,

who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States of Private *Daniel T. Kersey*, Battery F, 1st U. S. Artillery, by the commanding officer of his station, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. Under paragraph 155 of the Regulations, Private *Volkert A. Blikslager*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, for medical treatment.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward T. Curran*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Hospital Ship "Missouri," now supposed to be at 39 Whitehall street, New York City, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by Major *Daniel M. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Felix S. Dumas*, Company B, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Charles Pasley*, Company F, and Private *Louis H. Roberts*, Company G, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Patrick S. McDwyer*, Company I, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John Dvorak*, Company H, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frank M. Ayres*, Company E, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles K. Hague*, 2d Company U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Corporal *Charles H. Matthews*, Company C, 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Frank L. Webster*, Company A, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *William E. Ferguson*, Company E, and *Charles H. Stewart*, Company H, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles A. Hunter*, Band, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William J. Robinson*, Company B, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

First Sergeant *Charles C. Bundy*, Company I, and Private *William H. Reid*, Company K, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Irving T. Holland*, Company M, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William E. Lancer*, Band, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Burton A. Wright*, Company M, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Thomas J. Ryan*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory;

Private *Frank Mangan*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Moses Lavanther*, Company F, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Quartermaster Sergeant *Henry J. Pinchon*, Company A, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sam Houston, Texas;

Private *Frank M. Anderson*, Company H, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James A. Campbell*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now in this city, will report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, for duty on his staff, and will accompany him to Havana, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. First Lieutenant *Edward L. Baker*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry (Sergeant Major, 10th U. S. Cavalry), recently appointed, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report to the commanding officer of his regiment for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Burke L. Johnson*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and upon arrival will report to the commanding officer, 20th U. S. Infantry, for duty, to accompany that regiment to Manila, Philippine Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *John H. Macomber*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Angel Island, California, and will report in person to the commanding officer, Presidio of San Francisco, California,

for duty at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles L. Bent*, 7th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on account of sickness.

57. Leave of absence for one month is granted 2d Lieutenant *Kirby Walker*, 3d U. S. Cavalry.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *John B. Schoeffel*, 9th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 250, October 22, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

59. The travel from New York City, New York, to Washington, District of Columbia, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *Ferdinand H. Scholle*, U. S. Army, on or about October 29, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles W. Bartlett*, U. S. Army, will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and upon arrival will report to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the leave of absence for seven days granted 1st Lieutenant *James A. DeArmond*, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 28, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, December 4, 1898, is extended ten days.

62. So much of Special Orders, No. 231, paragraph 57, September 30, 1898, from this office, as relates to Captain *Stedman V. Stanford*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, is amended so as to read "Captain *Stedman V. Sanford*," 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *John J. Mead*, Company L, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Charles F. Ruge*, Company D, and Private *Emil F. Borneman*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *William C. Horner*, Company L, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *L. J. Schmidt*, Company M, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Verdenal M. Green*, Company G, 8th California Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *George H. Scott*, Company A; *Ellerslie W. Stevenson*, Company C, and Sergeant *Harry R. Ludwick*, Company F, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. H. Smith*, Company A, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Private *August Schauffele*, Company E, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *C. Lee Calder*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *James R. Kane*, Company M, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John R. Norvell*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 31, Special Orders, No. 146, June 22, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Harry E. Whitney*, Company B, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

65. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry E. Whitney*, Company B, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date July 31, 1898, by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

66. The following-named enlisted men, now at Boston, Massachusetts, are transferred to the 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *Ralph W. Bonney*, *Myron O. Horton*, Company B; *William Davidson*, *Frank G. Parke*, Company C; *Peter Han-*

son, Company E; *John F. Green*, Company F; *Thomas H. Murtha* and *Joseph Reno*, Company K, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Americus, Georgia, where upon arrival they will report to the commanding officer for duty.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James A. King*, Company I, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Havana, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Robert B. Westcott*, Hospital Corps, Reserve Ambulance Company, 2d Army Corps, now at Macon, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

69. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *James E. Layne* and *John H. Layne*, Company G, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

70. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, December 14, 1898.

Cadet *Albert H. Mueller*, 3d Class, U. S. Military Academy, having been tried and found guilty of violation of paragraph 132, Regulations for the U. S. Military Academy, by a general court-martial convened at West Point, New York, was sentenced, "*To be suspended from the U. S. Military Academy without pay until August 28, 1899, and to join the then 3d Class.*"

The sentence in the foregoing case of Cadet *Albert H. Mueller*, 3d Class, U. S. Military Academy, is approved, but upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of the Academy, it is mitigated to "*confinement to cadet barracks, the area of barracks and the gymnasium until March 15, 1899, walking punishment tours every Saturday during this period from ten minutes after inspection until ten minutes before retreat, and to be deprived of one month of the leave of absence authorized for the 3d Class in paragraph 98, U. S. Military Academy Regulations.*"

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Assistant Secretary of War.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles E. MacDonald*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty with the 3d Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, and will proceed to Fort Snelling, Minnesota, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence for one month granted 1st Lieutenant *William H. Bean*, Quartermaster, 2d U. S. Cavalry, in paragraph 2, Special Orders, No. 189, December 9, 1898, from Headquarters, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, is changed to leave of absence on account of sickness, and extended three months on surgeon's certificate of disability, with permission to go beyond sea.

73. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Major *Charles D. Elliott*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick G. Turner*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

75. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John E. Hawkins*, 8th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

76. The extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Lewis A. Griffith*, assistant surgeon, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 181, 7th Army Corps, December 4, 1898, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

77. Leave of absence for one month on account of sickness is granted 1st Lieutenant *George H. Jones*, assistant surgeon, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, now in hospital at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

78. The leave of absence for seven days heretofore granted Captain *C. E. Morrison*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is extended twelve days.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 290, December 9, 1898, from this office, is

amended so as to direct 1st Lieutenant *Malvern-Hill Barnum*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, to report in person to the Superintendent, U. S. Military Academy, for duty as assistant to the Quartermaster and Disbursing Officer of the Academy, and so much of the orders above cited as provide for the relief of Major *William F. Spurgin*, 23d U. S. Infantry, from duty as Quartermaster and Disbursing Officer at the U. S. Military Academy, and direct him to proceed to join his regiment, is revoked.

80. Under the provisions of section 14, of the Act of Congress approved April 22, 1898, and upon the adverse report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, the following-named officers of the 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry are by direction of the President discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances:

Major *Spier Whitaker*;

Captain *Ike T. Jobe*;

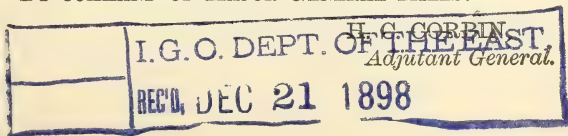
First Lieutenant *Frederick H. Gregg*.

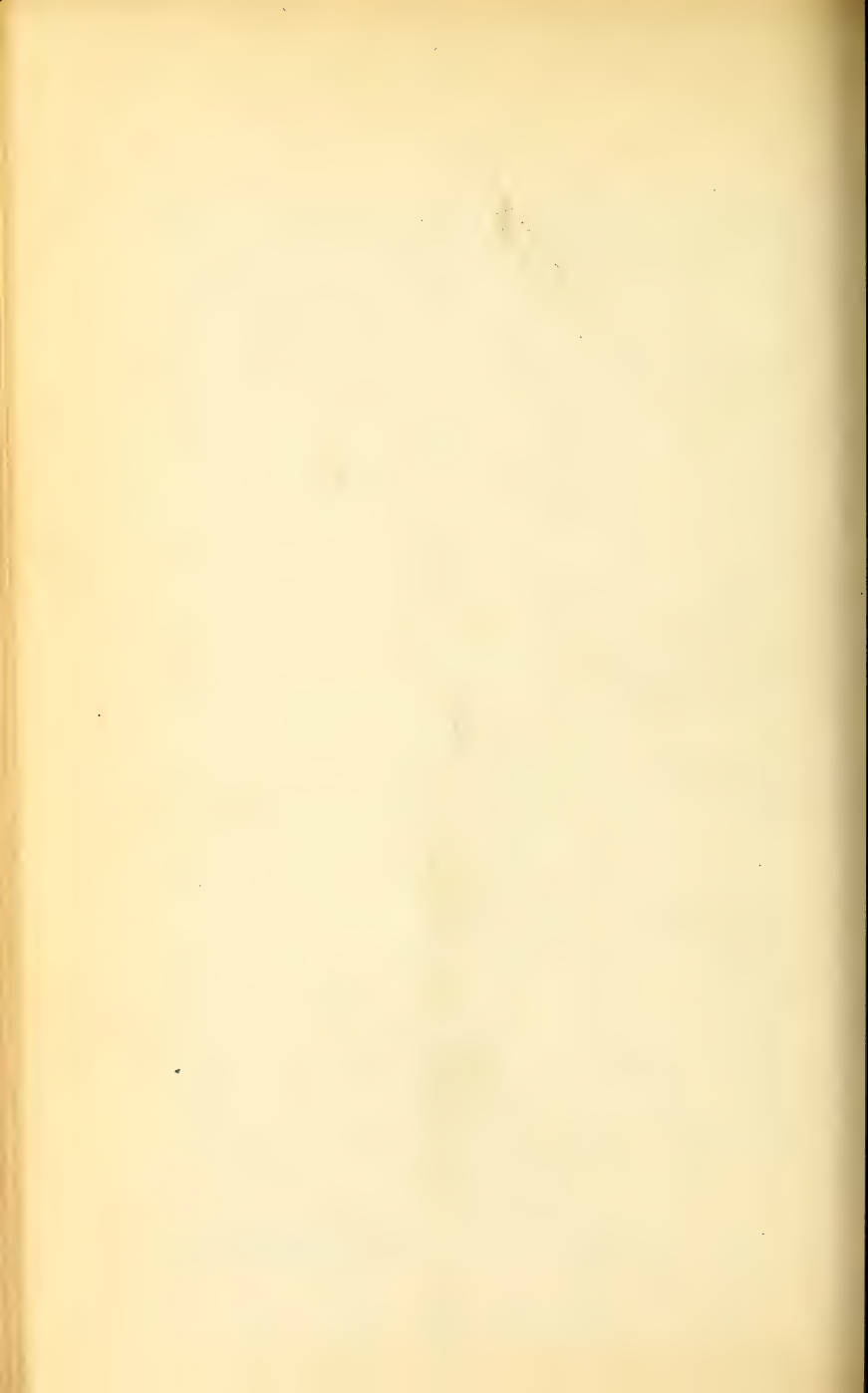
81. By direction of the President, Captain *Frederick J. Kountz*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect February 15, 1899, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank B. McKenna*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Columbus, Georgia, and report in person to Brigadier General *John A. Wiley*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Brigade, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, for duty as Assistant Adjutant General of that brigade. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

83. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles J. Coleman*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 297. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, December 17, 1898.

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey to consist of—

Major *Daniel W. Arnold*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers;

Major *Frank M. Hammond*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, and

Lieutenant *Walter C. Babcock*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is appointed to meet at the War Department, Washington, District of Columbia, at 10 o'clock a. m., December 17, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the purpose of ascertaining and reporting upon the facts, and making recommendations thereon relative to the disappearance of certain articles from the office of Major *George W. Moses*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers. The junior member of the board will act as recorder.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *William H. Murray*, Company A, and *Bert Derendinger*, Company I, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Percy J. Whitehurst*, Company E, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edward D. Culver*, Company G, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Thomas L. Stauber*, Company C, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Carl Libbe*, Company K, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Henry Hagelstein*, Company F, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Henry Hedges*, Company D, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

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Private *Jesse S. Maitland*, Company E, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *William J. Gorman*, Company E, and *Patrick A. Fay*, Company F, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William H. Bruce*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Cook *Silas Goldwaite*, Troop G, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 250, October 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank H. Ryder*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, now at Huntsville, Alabama, instead of "Camp Wikoff, New York."

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Nave Davison*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Brown*, Company A, 24th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Douglas, Utah, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Schindler*, Company H, 9th U. S. Infantry, now in confinement at Madison Barracks, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of that post, by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Gustav Beumler*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank J. Flanagan*, Battery B, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry B. Schockley*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, now supposed to be at Macon, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12 Private *Philip Flitman*, Troop E, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Washakie, Wyoming, is upon his own application transferred to the 3d U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Angel Island, California, for assignment to a battery. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Walter C. Weier*, Company A, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Henry Chepmell*, Company A; *James H. McGregor*, Company I; *Charles P. Loom* and *Robert F. Titus*, Company L, 71st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by

the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *George W. Sanders*, Company G, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *George H. Hummel*, Company L, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Zephryn E. Mezydto*, Company F, and *James F. Jackson*, Company B, 65th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Irrin E. McDermott*, Company G, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Homer D. Heman*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. Sergeant *Michael J. Collins*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now in this city, will be sent to the station of his troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer for duty. The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by

their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Claud I. Pond*, Privates *Ernest R. Price*, Company I, and *Dan F. Maples*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Louis H. Smith*, Company D, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Principal Musician *Patrick Clohecy*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Hospital Steward *Holman Taylor*, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lester E. Barr*, Company B, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Willis L. Calhoun*, Company G, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles Ehni*, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *E. R. Wright*, Company D, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edwin T. Cole*, 6th U. S. Infantry, having completed the duty of distributing rations to sufferers from the tidal wave in the State of Georgia, will proceed to Fort Thomas, Kentucky, and assume the duties of Quartermaster and Commissary at that post. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frederick V. Krug*, 20th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from mustering duty at Springfield, Illinois, and will proceed at once to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Morton F. Smith*, 20th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as aid-de-camp on the staff of Major General *John C. Bates*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed at once to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from duty as aids-de-camp on the staff of Brigadier General *Loyd Wheaton*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed at once to join their regiment:

First Lieutenant *Frank D. Webster*, 20th U. S. Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Charles R. Howland*, 20th U. S. Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the President, Major *Benjamin Alvord*, Chief Ordnance Officer, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 20th U. S. Infantry), is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 16, 1899, and will proceed at once to join the 20th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. Captain *George H. Patten*, 14th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and report in person to the Commanding Officer, 20th U. S. Infantry, for assignment to duty with that regiment until its arrival in the Philippine Islands, when he will join the 14th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Fred B. Thomas*, Privates *Lloyd C. Clark* and *Charles G. Naylor*, Company C, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Otto J. Brandt*, Company A, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frank C. Motter*, Company A, and Private *A. F. Biemiller*, Company B, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles D. Clough*, Company H, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Gilbert Bertholf*, Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Schuyler, New York;

Private *Theodore J. Hillman*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Patrick F. Healey*, Company I, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Jabelmann*, Company E, 1st U. S. Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, No. 1043 Allen avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Gustavus A. Tamitzer*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin C. Brooks*, Hospital Corps, now at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Waldo Mills*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, now at camp near Coamo, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry Y. Slaton*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, now at 2d Division Field Hospital, Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank Eastman*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter W. Austin*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter J. Caserta*, Hospital Corps, now at Hospital, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Leo M. Murphy*, Battery D, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *Will Ewing Beard*, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Fred-*

eric C. Goodwin, Company L, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States of Private *Victor Holmes*, Company K, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be under medical treatment at the Presidio of San Francisco, California, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edward Koerber*, Company L, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *John J. Layton*, Company A, and Private *John W. O'Neill*, Company E, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *F. T. Jackson*, Company D, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Earle Brown*, Company A, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *E. H. Freidlander*, Company A, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Privates *Charles H. Kelly*, Company C, and *Glenn W. Keep*, Company L, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Fred W. Matthews*, Company E, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James E. Ready*, Company C, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. H. Chick*, Band, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ernest Miley*, Company G, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Parrish Miller*, Company M, 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William Frendenberger*, Company D, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Amos P. Magee*, Company E, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *John G. Helfrey*, Company E, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Harry E. Laflins*, Company H, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Isaac Andrews* and Corporal *William J. Jackson*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ed Hammonds*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *John F. Weston*, U. S. Volunteers, having completed the duty for which he was ordered to this city, will return to New York City, New York. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Henry V. Boynton*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Chickamauga Park, Georgia, on official business pertaining to certain inspections, under instructions of the Secretary of War, and on completion of this duty will return to Washington, District of Columbia. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *Horace M. Patton*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 1, 1899.

51. The extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *Thomas M. Corcoran*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this

office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

52. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Charles B. Hardin*, 18th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 180, November 10, 1898, Department of California, is extended three months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

53. By direction of the President, Major *James A. Irons*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 20th U. S. Infantry), is honorably discharged from the volunteer army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect February 16, 1899, and will proceed at once to join the 20th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. The leave of absence granted Captain *Samuel L. Woodward*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 185, December 5, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Edmond C. Ingalls*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Otis W. Scott*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory;

Private *Samuel A. Greene*, Troop E, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Max Fleischer*, Troop F, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Frank C. Kempf*, Battery H, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Edward Rowe*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Fred R. Hazard*, Battery E, 3d U. S. Artillery, Fort Mason, California;

Private *Lewis A. Smith*, Battery M, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

Private *Hugh J. Conway*, Battery D, 7th U. S. Artillery, Portland Head, Maine;

Corporal *Jay H. Beatty*, Troop B, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Louis A. Naef*, Battery F, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *William V. Meek*, Company G, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *John J. McHale*, Company L, 5th U. S. Infantry, Fort McPherson, Georgia;

Privates *Andrew R. Bledsoe*, *William L. Dain*, *Frank Ellis*, *James R. Hickson*, *Oscar M. Hubbs*, *John Law*, and *Hugh McKay*, Company C, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Privates *William Brown* and *James A. Ramsey*, Company M, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Brady, Michigan;

Private *Joseph Nerins*, Band, 10th U. S. Infantry, Havana, Cuba;

Private *George A. Richmond*, Company E, 10th U. S. Infantry, Havana, Cuba;

Private *John Lavell*, Company A, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *William Eyrich*, Company F, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Privates *Albert Sleeth*, Company F, and *Daniel V. Matson*, Company I, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *William H. Deckert*, Company C; *Emil M. Gstalder*, Company L, and *Jesse F. Boyer*, Company M, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the President, Major *David F. Powell*, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Melvin W. Rowell*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Ohio.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Cyrenus G. Bennett*, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

59. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certifi-

cate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Lucius V. Hubbard*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, now in hospital at Augusta, Georgia.

60. The following-named officers are relieved from duty at the John Blair Gibbs Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky, and will proceed without delay to join their regiment:

First Lieutenant *Frank P. T. Logan*, assistant surgeon, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Augustus G. Reynolds*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *J. R. Newman*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 24, current series, second edition, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Frank Danenhower*, Company I, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, Havana, Cuba;

Private *Baptiste Bee*, Company G, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

63. Sergeant *F. E. Weldon*, Company C, and Private *John J. Hollywood*, Company F, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 166, December 15, 1898, Headquarters, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, Camp Wetherell, Greenville, South Carolina, will return to that station, with permission to delay two days *en route*.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

64. The journey from this city to Savannah, Georgia, performed by 2d Lieutenant *William W. Gordon, jr.*, 8th U. S.

Volunteer Infantry, aid-de-camp, under instructions of October 28, 1898, from Brigadier General *William W. Gordon*, U. S. Volunteers, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

65. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant (now 1st Lieutenant) *Jefferson D. Rooney*, 3d U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 69, November 26, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

66. By direction of the President, paragraph 42, Special Orders, No. 282, November 30, 1898, from this office, relating to Lieutenant Colonel *William M. Black*, chief engineer, U. S. Volunteers (Major, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), is revoked by the Secretary of War.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William H. Coffin*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is detailed as a member of the board of officers convened by paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 295, December 15, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *George E. Sage*, 6th U. S. Artillery, hereby relieved.

68. By direction of the President, 2d Lieutenant *Stephen T. Guy*, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 86, Special Orders, No. 294, December 14, 1898, from this office, as relates to Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur W. Smith*, U. S. Army, is amended to read "Acting Assistant Surgeon *Arthur B. Smith*, U. S. Army."

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Benjamin Johnson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, having reported at Savannah, Georgia, in accordance with paragraph 64, Special Orders, No. 292, December 12, 1898, from this office, will proceed to New York City, New York, and join the U. S. transport "Manitoba" at that place, to temporarily relieve Captain *Homer F. Aspinwall*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers. Captain *Aspinwall*, when relieved by Captain *Johnson*, will proceed to this city, in accordance with paragraph 64, Special Orders, No. 292, December 12, 1898, from this office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Adjutant General's Department are ordered:

Lieutenant Colonel *William P. Hall*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty in the Department of the Gulf, and will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, for duty as Adjutant General of that Department;

Lieutenant Colonel *William V. Richards*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty in the Department of Porto Rico, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Division of Cuba, for duty as Adjutant General of that division.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Franklin Taylor*, Astor Battery, now at Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *W. H. Reynolds*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty in the Department of Santiago, Cuba, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. General Hospital at that place for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Major *Hiram B. Townsend*, surgeon, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 268, paragraph 71, from this office, November 12, 1898, is further extended fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

75. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert F. Dukes*, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 161, 7th Army Corps, November 14, 1898, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

76. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry T. Allen*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Atlanta, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Gulf, for temporary duty as Adjutant General. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick M. Page*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is assigned as Assistant Adjutant General of the 1st Brigade, 1st Division, 7th Army Corps, and will report in person to the commanding general of that brigade upon its arrival in Cuba, for duty accordingly.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frederick H. E. Ebstein*, 21st U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Albany, New York, and report in person to Major *Ira Quinby*, 1st U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer, for assignment to recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 74, Special Orders, No. 265, November 9, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *Fred T. Jones*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked.

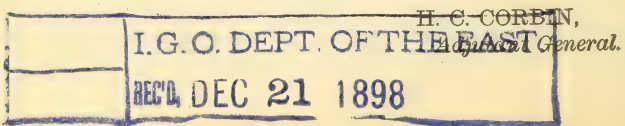
80. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 58, Special Orders, No. 289, December 8, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *Benjamin F. Pope*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is revoked.

81. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Daniel M. Appel*, surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty in New York City, New York, and will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, for duty pertaining to the supervision of the construction of the general hospital at that place, and he is assigned to the command of that hospital upon its completion. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

82. Leave of absence for fifteen days on account of sickness, from December 13, 1898, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Thornton M. Niven, jr.*, 201st New York Volunteers, in extension of the leave of absence granted him in Special Orders, No. 153, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, December 2, 1898.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *James C. Nutt*, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 298. } Washington, December 19, 1898.

1. Corporal *Abson Hicks*, Troop F, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city without means to rejoin his troop, will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer of his regiment for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind. The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay-roll of his troop.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Marcus B. Mechling*, Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Hiram C. Jett*, *James F. Arnold*, *Christopher C. Martin*, and *John B. Stratton*, Company D, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *George W. Weaver*, Company E, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harold F. Studley*, Company K, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles McNeil*, Company B, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Emile A. Barchie*, Company M, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Clarence Wilson*, Company C, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter Trimble*, Company G, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now sup-

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posed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Fred Schiebenzuber*, *John O. Davis*, and *Ernest R. Ozias*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *Cornelius P. Voorhies*, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *William Cohen*, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia;

Private *John F. Corrigan*, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *William E. Jencks*, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia;

Private *Hall S. Rowe*, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *John W. Storm*, 2d Division Hospital, 2d Army Corps, Greenville, South Carolina.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Daniel O'Keefe*, Ordnance Detachment, Indianapolis Arsenal, Indiana;

Second-class Private *Clyde C. Clark*, Company C, Battalion of Engineers, Willets Point, New York;

Private *James C. Barnes*, Troop H, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *Henry Faber*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina;

Private *George C. Turner*, Battery C, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Hancock, New Jersey;

Private *Bernard Roesing*, Company L, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *George H. Lewis*, Company C, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Robert C. Wallace*, Company A, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Privates *Andrew J. Galbreaith* and *Patrick Kerigan*, Company F, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael J. O'Gready*, Company A, 8th U. S. Infantry, now at Havana, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Elvius C. Addleman*, Ordnance Detachment, Benicia Arsenal, California, now at the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, will be sent to Columbia Arsenal, Tennessee, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas James*, Company A, 8th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of Mr. T. A. Royal, jr., 2139 North Nineteenth street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry F. Freeney*, Troop C, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Robinson, Nebraska, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Wagoner *John Batz*, Battery E, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on January 7, 1899, by the commanding officer of his station.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George M. Williams*, Company F, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

11. Paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 243, October 14, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Andrew Hartwood*, Company B, 25th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

12. Private *Emmett Haley*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is transferred to Company E, 12th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur W. Post*, Hospital Corps, now on sick furlough at his home, 1222 Twelfth street NW., Washington, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Commanding General, 4th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 44, Special Orders, No. 275, November 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *George A. Check*, Company B, 2d U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James F. Day*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, Findlay, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 2d Division Hospital, 2d Army Corps, Greenville, South Carolina, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of Dr. William M. Yost, Findlay, Ohio. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Jones*, Troop K, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now on sick furlough at his home, 524 Washington avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. Private *Christian Rice*, Troop F, 6th U. S. Cavalry, is transferred to Troop E, 8th U. S. Cavalry.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Jack Martin*, Company C, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Wilbur L. Huls*, Company K, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *L. Greenhouse*, Band, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles A. Butler*, Company A, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John W. Kagarise*, Company G, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *George E. Halligan*, Company A; *Frank B. Schoonoven*, Company E, and *Jacob Odenwalder*, Company I, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Richard T. Wright*, Company K, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers;

Private *Waverly S. Thompson*, Company B, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

20. Private *Christopher Gordon*, Company C, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson General Hospital will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that hospital. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to the proper station of his company as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Squires*, Company M, 6th U. S. Infantry, now sup-

posed to be on furlough at his home, 414 Carlisle avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22 By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur L. Dalrymple*, Company H, 19th U. S. Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, 914 Third street, Clinton, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

23. Private *Hans Christensen*, Troop D, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now in Post Hospital, Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the 20th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post. He will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *Thomas P. Gordon*, Troop K, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Corporal *Alfred McAlpin*, Troop H, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Sergeant *Ozrow Gather*, Troop E, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William R. Bilyen*, Battery G, 5th U. S. Artillery, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Edward Fessenden*, Battery A, 6th U. S. Artillery, St. Francis Barracks, Florida.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Melbourne H. Collier* and *Daniel Feeley*, Battery B, 2d U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities, serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank E. Balcom*, Company F, 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the Commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Smith*, Company E, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

28. Private *James M. Vaughan*, Troop G, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, is transferred to Company B, 25th U. S. Infantry, stationed at that post.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert Conard*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

30. Private *Philip J. Willkom*, Light Battery D, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is transferred to Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, stationed at that post.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edwin B. Winans, jr.*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, recently mustered out as Major, 34th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, will proceed to join the 4th U. S. Cavalry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. Under instructions from the President, 1st Lieutenant *Edwin B. Winans, jr.*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved by the Secretary of War from further duty at the Michigan Military Academy, Orchard Lake, Michigan.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for three months, on account of sickness, is granted 1st Lieutenant *Edwin B. Winans, jr.*, 4th U. S. Cavalry.

34. By direction of the Acting Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from their present duties, and will proceed to the subports in Cuba hereinafter specified after each name, take charge of the custom-houses thereat on or before December 31, 1898, when they shall be transferred

to the military forces of the United States, and assume the duties of collectors of customs under such instructions as may be hereafter communicated to them:

Major *John J. Brereton*, Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 24th U. S. Infantry), to Cienfuegos;

Captain *Thomas F. Davis*, 15th U. S. Infantry, to Santiago;

Captain *William H. Hay*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 10th U. S. Cavalry), to Matanzas;

Captain *William P. Evans*, 19th U. S. Infantry, to Cardenas;

Captain *J. F. Reynolds Landis*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, to Cai-barien;

Captain *Willson Y. Stamper*, 8th U. S. Infantry, to Manzanillo;

Captain *George A. Cornish*, 15th U. S. Infantry, to Nuevitas;

Captain *John Bigelow, jr.*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, to Sagua La Grande;

Captain *Eugene A. Ellis*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, to Guantamano;

Captain *George K. McGunnegle*, 15th U. S. Infantry, to Baracoa;

Captain *Frederick S. Foltz*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, to Batabano;

First Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery, to Trinidad;

Captain *William F. Blauvelt*, 15th U. S. Infantry, to Santa Cruz;

Major *Harry C. Benson*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 4th U. S. Cavalry), to Zaza.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Rush J. Parsons*, Company E, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Oliver Werst*, Company F, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 30, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *John E. Carberry*, Company G, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Cornelius D. Tobin*, Company A, and *William P. Crow*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *E. B. Ragland*, Company A, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Enoch R. Partridge*, Company E, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *William F. Powell*, Company C, and *John D. Richardson*, Company G, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *John W. Mulvihill*, and *M. J. Mulvihill*, Company H, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. H. Button*, Company C, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Walter P. Cook*, Company A, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Dempsey W. Nash*, Company A, and *Russell W. Beaty*, Company E, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Curtis P. Kitchen*, Company D; Privates *Claud B. Wallace*, Company F; *Alonzo L. Ellison*, *Emmett A. McGary*, *Marion McGary*, Company G; *Daniel T. Danforth*, Company H; *William T. Dalrymple*, *Tom O. Turner*, Company K; *Eleck A. Alley*, *John B. Beall*, *Eben C. Sloan*, *Keith Wallace*, Company L, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *David M. Guinn*, Company I, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Watt W. Price*, Privates *Samuel P. Freeman* and *Jasper Haney*, Company G, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Edward Everett*, 17th Company U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Corporal *Samuel Frank*, Company K, and Private *Louis F. Magnolia*, Company G, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

42. Leave of absence for two months is granted 1st Lieutenant *Hamilton H. Blunt*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry B. May*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the East, and will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to the commanding general and to the chief paymaster, Department of Porto Rico, for assignment to duty in that department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. Leave of absence for two months to take effect when, in the opinion of his regimental commander his services can be spared, but not earlier than January 10, 1899, is granted 2d Lieutenant *James B. Gowen*, 16th U. S. Infantry.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence for thirty days on account of sickness granted Major *William H. Daly*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in telegraphic orders, dated October 18, 1898, Headquarters of the Army, is extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank A. Martin*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect December 31, 1898, is

honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect as of that date.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William F. Schwind*, Quartermaster, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, to take effect December 20, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect as of that date.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *James F. Meaney*, Company D, and Corporal *Louis Liebgold*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Jesse H. Curran* and *William N. Dragoon*, Company E, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Henry Elwood*, Company C, Privates *David Abrahams* and *James Woods*, Company F, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas M. Kennedy*, Company E, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Lewis P. Springer*, Company F, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John G. Maxwell*, Company L, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Patrick H. Lowery*, Company B, and *Thomas J. Fletcher*, Company K, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Lawrence H. Chittenden*, Company H, 203d New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Allan V. Rozelle*, Company A, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Simeon M. Hinds*, Company I, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John Berges*, Company B, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John Davis*, Company B; Privates *Harry McGuire*, Company C, and *Charles H. Kaufman*, Company E, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Howard O. White*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *F. B. Deshon*, Corporal *E. J. Anderson*, Company G, and Private *Porter H. Champlin*, Company B, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Hiram G. Owen*, Company E, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Mack L. H. Larsen*, Company A, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles E. Taylor*, Company A, 1st Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Joseph N. Moore*, Company A, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Timothy L. O'Brien*, Company K, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *Frost F. Fisk*, Company F, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Christ A. Brown*, Company F, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Martin E. Fuller*, Company D, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John Thomas Haines*, Company H, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Anderson Million*, Company A; *C. M. Comstock* and *Calvin T. Weeks*, Company B, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Wagoner *Charles E. Riker*, Company D, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William D. Andes*, Company D, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Amidie B. Guyol*, Company L, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

57. The leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *J. W. McDonald*, assistant surgeon, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 54, 1st Army Corps, November 17, 1898, is extended ten days on account of sickness.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 1, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Hugh J. McNally*, Company G, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

59. Under the provisions of section 14, of the act of Congress, approved April 22, 1898, and upon the adverse report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, 1st Lieutenant *F. D. G. Harvey*, assistant surgeon, 23d Kansas Volunteer Infantry, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *David Price*, 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is appointed Special Inspector, under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, for the purpose of inspecting such unserviceable quartermaster's stores as may be submitted to him at Richmond, Virginia.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *James M. Yeaman*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

62. The leave of absence for ten days granted Captain *James M. Joplin*, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 3, Headquarters, U. S. Forces, Savannah, Georgia, December 10, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *C. L. Henry*, Company K, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 23, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *John H. Waller*, Company F, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

65. By direction of the President, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Acting Secretary of War, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *John F. Dunshie*, assistant surgeon, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Charles S. Sunday*, assistant surgeon, 23d Kansas Volunteer Infantry.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *William G. Ball*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, is further extended to include December 31, 1898, on account of sickness.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *S. J. Bayard Schindel*, from the 3d U. S. Infantry to the 6th U. S. Infantry, Company K;

First Lieutenant *Matt R. Peterson*, from the 6th U. S. Infantry to the 3d U. S. Infantry, Company L.

68. By direction of the President, Major *Bial F. Bradbury*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 1, 1899, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert S. Hansbury*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 57, November 21, 1898, Headquarters, 1st Army Corps, is extended fifteen days.

70. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *John E. Taylor*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 285, December 3, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

71. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Jennings B. Wilson*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

72. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Harry R. Anderson*, 4th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

73. Leave of absence to include December 31, 1898, is granted Captain *Henry W. Hovey*, 24th U. S. Infantry.

74. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James P. Barney*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 290, December 9, 1898, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

75. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Charles Lucas*, Company A, 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

76. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Sol Samuels*, Company D, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

77. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 12, Special Orders, No. 296, December 16, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *James Kirby*, Company H, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read: "Unsuited to the service," instead of "without honor" and "Entitled to travel-pay" instead of "Not entitled to travel-pay."

78. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 287, December 6, 1898, from this office, as relates to Corporal *Harry E. Bonsell*, Company H, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

79. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Harry E. Bonsell*, Company H, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, now at Augusta, Georgia, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. He will be directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *E. B. Ives*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that station, for duty.

80. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Musician *Van H. Patrick*, Company B, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby

confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William J. Varner*, Company B, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *S. A. Hinckley*, Company B, 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry;

Private *R. L. Freeman*, Company C, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Harry L. Pelley* and Private *Warrington Isard*, Company L, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Alston McBrier*, Company C, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

82. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Sergeant *F. J. Cook*, Company E, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Havana, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

83. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert H. Beckham*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, with his authorized clerk, will proceed at once from New York City, New York, to Savannah, Georgia, and relieve Captain *James C. Read*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, as Commissary and Acting Assistant Quartermaster on the transport "Mobile."

Captain *Read*, on being thus relieved, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence for instructions.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

84. The travel from New York City, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, on or about September 30, 1898, performed by

Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles C. Hendrick*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

85. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *John H. Grant*, U. S. Army, will proceed to Washington, District of Columbia, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major General *Adna R. Chaffee*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from Fort Riley, Kansas, to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, commanding the Division of Cuba, for assignment to duty as his chief of staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles G. Treat*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the chief mustering officer for the State of New York and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

88. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Joaquin L. Duenas*, U. S. Army, will proceed to Las Tunas, Cuba, and report in person to Brigadier General *Simon Snyder*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

89. Leave of absence for ten days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Harry R. Lee*, 6th U. S. Infantry.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Philip P. Powell*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Boston, Massachusetts, and report in person to Major *William Quinton*, 14th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer, for assignment to recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Jerome A. Watrous*, Paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the East, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Paymaster General of the Army for duty in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

92. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are ordered:

Major *William J. Wakeman*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and will proceed to Fort Niagara, New York, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the East, to relieve Captain *John S. Kulp*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army.

Captain *Kulp*, upon being relieved from duty at Fort Niagara, New York, by Major *Wakeman*, will proceed to Fort Crook, Nebraska, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post, to accompany the 22d U. S. Infantry to Manila, Philippine Islands.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

93. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Dock F. Simpson*, Company H, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station on grounds of minority. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

94. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *Will H. Winters*, 2d Army Corps, now at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

95. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jesse Small*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort McHenry, Maryland, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

96. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 75, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, as directs 1st Lieutenant *Charles C. Clark*, 5th U. S. Infantry, to proceed to join his company at Santiago, Cuba, is so amended as to direct him to proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Brigadier General *Richard*

Comba, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 2d Brigade, 1st Division, 4th Army Corps, for assignment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

97. The journey from Columbus, Ohio, to Savannah, Georgia, performed by Major *Lyman W. V. Kennon*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, under telegraphic instructions from this office of December 16, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

98. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Lyman W. V. Kennon*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, Commanding the Division of Cuba, for assignment to duty on his staff, and will accompany him from Savannah, Georgia, to Havana, Cuba. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

99. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers of the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps are relieved from further duty in Porto Rico and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, for duty under his orders:

Captain *Julien P. Wooten*;

Captain *Richard O. Rickard*;

First Lieutenant *Albert J. Dillon*;

First Lieutenant *Charles A. Clark*.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

100. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Medical Department are ordered:

Captain *George D. De Shon*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and will proceed to Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and report in person to the commanding officer, 4th U. S. Infantry, for the purpose of accompanying that regiment to Manila, Philippine Islands;

Captain *William F. Lippitt, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, and will proceed to Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, and report in person to

the commanding officer of that post to take charge of the hospital corps company of instruction, *vice* Captain *George D. De Shon*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, relieved.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

101. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Stephen M. Gonzalez*, U. S. Army, will proceed to Pinar del Rio, Cuba, and report in person to Brigadier General *George W. Davis*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

102. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry P. Birmingham*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), having reported in person to Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, president of the Examining Board, at the Army Medical Museum Building, this city, in compliance with paragraph 8, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, is relieved from further duty in the Department of Porto Rico, and will proceed to Fort Douglas, Utah, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

103. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas S. Bratton*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, will proceed to Augusta, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer, 3d U. S. Cavalry, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

104. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Herbert O. Williams*, 11th U. S. Infantry, will report to the chief mustering officer, Columbia, Tennessee, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer.

105. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Harry A. Smith*, 5th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Kentucky.

106. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers of brigade surgeons, U. S. Volunteers, in the 1st Division, 7th Army Corps, are ordered:

Major *William S. Bryant* is relieved from further duty with the 1st Brigade, and will report in person to the commanding general, 2d Brigade, for duty as surgeon of that brigade.

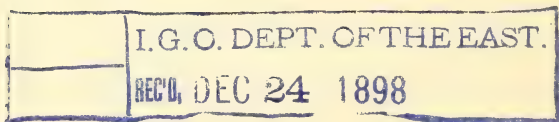
Major *Francis C. Ford* is relieved from further duty with the 2d brigade, and will report in person to the commanding general, 1st Brigade, for duty as surgeon of that brigade.

107. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 267, November 11, 1898, from this office, as directs Major *Marlborough C. Wyeth*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, to proceed to and take station at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, is revoked.

108. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Marlborough C. Wyeth*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Augusta, Georgia, for the purpose of closing up his accounts as medical supply officer there, and will thence proceed to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 299. } Washington, December 20, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 270, November 15, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Elden Stoddard*, Company I, 2d U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

2. Leave of absence for one month is granted Major *Donald Maclean*, chief surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

3. By direction of the President, Major *Henry P. Birmingham*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), is honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect February 20, 1899.

4. Post Chaplain *I. Newton Ritner*, U. S. Army, having been found by an Army retiring board incapacitated for active service, on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement from active service this date by the President, under provisions of section 1251, Revised Statutes, is announced by the Acting Secretary of War. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William H. Johnston*, 16th U. S. Infantry, will proceed at once from St. Louis, Missouri, to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William B. Reynolds*, 14th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from mustering duty and will report in person to the commanding officer, 20th U. S. Infantry, for duty with that regiment until its arrival in the Philippine Islands, when he will join the 14th U. S. Infantry.

7. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Dana W. Kilburn*, 3d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from mustering duty at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Scott B. Reed*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at his home,

Specter General

Clearfield, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 3d Division Hospital, 1st Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John M. Boyd*, Troop G, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Privates *Albert F. Klugman* and *Dause C. Rogers*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivans Island, South Carolina;

Private *William C. Rogers*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Patrick Griffin*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *William F. Lyons*, Battery I, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Quartermaster Sergeant *James H. Cooke*, Company B, and Private *Jacob Kiefer*, Company E, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Thomas F. Egerton*, Company M, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Brady, Michigan;

Private *Egnatz Deckarz*, Company K, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Niagara, New York;

Private *John A. Walder*, Company B, and Corporal *Michael Cassano*, Company F, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Edwin B. McDaniel*, Hospital Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John M. Kesinger*, Company F, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Second-class Private *Chas. D. Hendricks*, Ordnance Detachment, Allegheny Arsenal, Pennsylvania;

Private *William H. Egather*, Company K, 13th U. S. Infantry, Fort Niagara, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William M. Miller*, Company C, 16th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, Kokomo, Indiana, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William F. Gill*, Company C, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Burton Martin*, Company M, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry T. Reed*, Company M, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

16. Private *Thomas J. Carter*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop H, 4th U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William L. Comfort*, Troop K, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Mann*, Company K, 2d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Anniston, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Charles Baize*, Company A, 13th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Porter, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, by the commanding officer of his station.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harvey Utter*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Apache, Arizona Territory, is transferred to the U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia. He will be sent to that post and upon his arrival will report to the surgeon in charge of the general hospital there for duty.

21. Private *Frank G. Anderson*, Company G, 19th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at 24 Alpine avenue, Allegheny City, Pennsylvania, is transferred to the 17th U. S. Infantry. He will report to the commanding officer of that regiment for assignment to a company.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Clement W. Kepner* and *Samuel F. Stewart*, the Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

Private *Arthur L. Steele*, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in stations and duties of officers of the Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, are ordered:

Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, will, in addition to his duties as purchasing and depot commissary at Havana, Cuba, report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, at that city, for duty as chief commissary on his staff;

Major *Henry B. Osgood*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army, will proceed with his authorized clerk to Huntsville,

Alabama, to relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Frank E. Nye*, U. S. Army, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army (Colonel, Subsistence Department), of the duties of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at the subsistence depot at that place, and while on such duty shall have the rank of Lieutenant Colonel;

Lieutenant Colonel *Nye* upon being thus relieved will proceed with his authorized clerk to San Juan, Porto Rico, and will report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Porto Rico, for assignment to duty as Chief Commissary of that Department, relieving Lieutenant Colonel *Henry G. Sharpe*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, of that duty;

Lieutenant Colonel *Sharpe* upon being thus relieved will proceed with his authorized clerk to Washington, District of Columbia, and report in person to the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, for instructions;

Major *Eugene T. Wilson*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (Lieutenant Colonel, Subsistence Department), will, in addition to his duties as purchasing and depot commissary at Santiago, Cuba, report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty as Chief Commissary of that department, to relieve Major *George T. Bartlett*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, of that duty;

Major *Bartlett*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed with his authorized clerk to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, purchasing and depot commissary at that place, for duty as assistant in his office.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

24. Leave of absence for four days is granted Captain *Omar Bundy*, 6th U. S. Infantry.

25. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted Captain *Reuben V. Baskette*, 8th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 62, Special Orders, No. 295, December 15, 1898, from this office, is so amended as to require Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, to report on his arrival at Havana, Cuba, for duty, to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, commanding the Division of Cuba, instead of to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Burt Aldrich*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, is amended to read "2d Division, 2d Army Corps."

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Frank E. Hobbs*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to the works of the American Tube and Iron Company, Middletown, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the test of parts of pneumatic dynamite guns in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will rejoin his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, Brigadier General *Oswald H. Ernst*, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, commanding the Division of Cuba, for assignment to duty as Inspector General of that Division. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. Leave of absence for fourteen days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Matthew F. Steele*, 8th U. S. Cavalry.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Henry H. C. Dunwoody*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, will report in person to Major General *John R. Brooke*, U. S. Army, commanding the Division of Cuba, for duty as signal officer on his staff.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers are relieved from duty as aids-de-camp to the general officers hereinafter indicated, and will at once proceed to join their respective regiments:

First Lieutenant *Horace M. Reeve*, 3d U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Major General *John C. Bates*, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *Ernest V. Smith*, 4th U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Brigadier General *Robert H. Hall*, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *John C. Gregg*, 4th U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Brigadier General *Robert H. Hall*, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *William Brooke*, 4th U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *Waldo E. Ayer*, 12th U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Brigadier General *Jacob Kline*, U. S. Volunteers;

First Lieutenant *David S. Stanley*, 22d U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers; Second Lieutenant *Tenney Ross*, 3d U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp to Brigadier General *John M. Bacon*, U. S. Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Captain *Sidney Goode*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 265, November 9, 1898, from this office, is further extended twenty days on account of sickness.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Edward F. Corrigan*, Company E, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Roy V. Sellers*, Company D, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Fred A. Mills*, Company M, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Principal Musician *Charles L. Fisk*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas L. Wainwright*, Company B, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *George S. Booker*, Company D, and *Willie Sutton*, Company F, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *J. T. Burdell* and Private *Arthur Able*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery;

Privates *Loring B. Lide*, Company B; *William O. Schuler*, Company C; Sergeants *Thomas J. Stukes*, Company D; *Alex S. Barton*, Company H; Private *Brevard S. Gordon*, Company L, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Louis B. Rolison*, Company I, 31st Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Frank Spensley*, Company D, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Havana, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Leslie A. Secor*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort Porter, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 295, December 15, 1898, from this office, as relates to Commissary Sergeant *William J. Brown* (appointed December 12, 1898, from 1st Sergeant, Company H, 6th U. S. Infantry), is revoked.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Erastmus A. Horning*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Camp Albert G. Forse, Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, for medical treatment.

41. Private *Robert F. Keith*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, attached to Light Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to that battery and will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *George Gilbert*, Company H, 13th U. S. Infantry, now at recruiting station, corner Main and Seneca streets, Buffalo, New York, is transferred as private to the general recruiting service and assigned to duty at that station. He will report to the officer in charge thereof for duty.

43. Under instructions from the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring board is appointed by the Secretary of War to meet in this city at the War Department at 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, December 21, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the examination of Lieutenant Colonel *Charles Porter*, 22d U. S. Infantry.

Detail for the board.

Brigadier General *Thaddeus H. Stanton*, Paymaster General, U. S. Army;

Colonel *Fred C. Ainsworth*, Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department;

Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army;

Major *Edward C. Carter*, Brigade Surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army);

Captain *Edward L. Munson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

Captain *Cornélis De W. Willcox*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 7th U. S. Artillery), recorder.

44. Under instructions from the President, Lieutenant Colonel *Charles Porter*, 22d U. S. Infantry, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Brigadier General *Thaddeus H. Stanton*, Paymaster General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet in this city at the War Department at 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, December 21, 1898, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for examination by the board.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *George C. Harman*, Company A, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Edwin A. Johnston*, Company L, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *J. S. McIlwaine*, Company M, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *John F. Mallon*, Company D, and *Joseph McDonald*, Company E, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Thomas E. Lightfoot*, Band, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Albert M. Culp*, Company D, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *William P. Romans*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Charles M. Sayers*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William E. Lawrence*, Company I, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Ives E. Cobb*, 1st Troop, Utah Volunteer Cavalry;

Corporal *William J. Buckley*, Company I, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 36, Special Orders, No. 276, November 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Nat C. Hickey*, Company B, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment of Private *George Cox*, Company D, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, supposed to be at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Raphael W. Young*, Company B, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *James Oakden*, Company E, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *John D. Ellis*, Company F, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Anthony Hand*, Company D, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *R. L. Ames*, Company F, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Frank J. Brillman*, Company H, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

Captain *Joseph G. Morrison*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *John L. Prestley*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Albert L. Comstock*, 1st Territorial Volunteer Infantry.

54. The sick leave of absence granted Major *James S. Knox*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 182, 2d Army Corps, November 26, 1898, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

55. The leave of absence for one month granted Major *Keating Bauduy*, surgeon, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 170, 7th Army Corps, November 23, 1898, is extended to include December 31, 1898.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Keating Bauduy*, surgeon, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation to take effect December 31, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect as of that date.

57. The extension of leave of absence granted Major *Joshua L. Fowler*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 271, November 16, 1898, from this office, is further extended seven days.

58. The following transfers are made in the 3d U. S. Artillery, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *John P. Hains* from Battery F to Battery E;

First Lieutenant *Delamere Skerrett* from Battery E to Battery F.

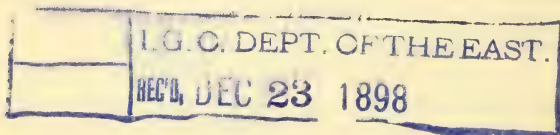
59. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service this date of Captain *Jahn McA. Webster*, 22d U. S. Infantry, by the President, under the provisions of section 1243, Revised Statutes, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, it announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. The journey from Montauk Point, New York, to Santiago, Cuba, on or about September 28, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *William H. Coon*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

61. The journey from New York City, New York, to Washington, District of Columbia, performed by Major *Elmore F. Taggart*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, under instructions from the Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 300. } Washington, December 21, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred H. Stott*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Andrew J. Bannon*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Jackson Barracks, Louisiana, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Mattern*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Sullivans Island, South Carolina, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Thomas A. Ablatt*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James F. Kelly*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now on sick furlough at his home in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his troop, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of Major *David J. Craigie*, 25th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer, 1326 Filbert street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel J. Fraser*, Company H, 7th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at Denver, Colorado, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of Fort Wayne, Michigan, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas E. Bowles*, Troop C, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort

Inspector General

Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

8. Private *Delbert McLane*, Company —, 19th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home, No. 1 Moulton street, Watertown, New York, is transferred to the 9th U. S. Infantry. He will report on or before the expiration of his furlough, January 23, 1899, to the commanding officer of that regiment at Madison Barracks, New York, for assignment to a company.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph Staub*, Hospital Corps, 4th Army Corps, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 292, December 12, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *John F. Sheehy*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 16, Special Orders, No. 241, October 12, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Robert A. Whitford*, Hospital Corps, 3d Division, 1st Army Corps, is revoked.

12. Sergeants *John R. Kuykendall* and *Jacob Tolin*, and Privates *George Brock* and *Lee Rogers*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, are transferred as privates to the 20th U. S. Infantry. They will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for assignment to companies. The expenses of the transfers will be borne by the soldiers and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harlem L. Gorham*, Company K, 16th U. S. Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, 910 Julia street, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier care of Captain *O. J. Sweet*, 25th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer, corner Third and Olive streets, St. Louis, Missouri. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the tele-

graphic instructions of December 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge of Saddler *John O'Brien*, Troop E, 7th U. S. Cavalry, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, are hereby confirmed.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Frank Shea*, Ordnance Detachment, now at St. Louis Powder Depot, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraph 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Boleslaus Ritthammer*, Troop E, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now in confinement at Fort Columbus, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of that post by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *William F. McConnell*, Ordnance Detachment, Rock Island Arsenal, Illinois;

Private *Charles H. Seeley*, Battery D, 1st U. S. Artillery, Jackson Barracks, Louisiana;

Private *Paul Lehman*, Band, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Charles Thompson*, Company G, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Chief Musician *Edwin G. Clarke*, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Melvin R. Spalding*, Troop A, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on furlough at Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of Mr. William Eisfeldt, 86-88 Racine avenue, Chicago, Illinois. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be dis-

charged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *William E. New*, Battery H, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Barrancas, Florida;

Private *Ernest Hudson*, Company B, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Ray Hartfiel*, Company B, 6th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sam Houston, Texas;

Private *Walter A. Strapp*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George W. K. Newbold*, Troop B, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, 100 South Forty-second street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William Brooke*, 4th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, for appointment and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. Private *William F. McMullen*, Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, now in this city without means to join his command, will be sent to the station of his battery, Savannah, Georgia, and upon his arrival there will report to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind. The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay-roll of his battery.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Andrew G. C. Quay*, Chief Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 239, October 10, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the tele-

graphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Nicholas Albano*, Company B, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joseph R. Avinger*, 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps;

Sergeant *James M. Patterson*, Privates *Percy C. Blackman* and *Thaddus C. Remley*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery;

Sergeant *William Schley Howard*, Company I, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Lewis D. Prescott*, Company B, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John C. Brundage*, Company I, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Thomas B. Henley*, Company C, and *John M. Warington*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of 1st Sergeant *William N. Pillow*, Company A, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished

transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

29. By direction of the President, the following-named officers are honorably discharged from the Volunteer Army of the United States, by the Secretary of War, to take effect February 20, 1899, and they will at once proceed to join their respective regiments:

Major *Frederick A. Smith*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 12th U. S. Infantry);

Major *John G. Ballance*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 22d U. S. Infantry);

Major *Alfred C. Sharpe*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 22d U. S. Infantry);

Captain *George B. Duncan*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 4th U. S. Infantry).

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Richard P. Strong*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty with the 2d U. S. Artillery, and will proceed to Fort Crook, Nebraska, and report in person to the commanding officer, 22d U. S. Infantry, for the purpose of accompanying that regiment to Manila, Philippine Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Asa G. Morrison*, Company C, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Hugo C. Knoepfel*, Company G, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William T. McMurray*, Company L, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the tele-

graphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Robert H. Vaiden*, Company H, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Joseph P. Brice*, Company L, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry A. Burgess*, Company D, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *L. D. Morehead*, Company F, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of disability granted Major *Sumner H. Lincoln*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, is further extended three months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Charles M. Duffy*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, after shipping such signal stores and supplies as may be on hand at the Signal Corps storehouse at Savannah, Georgia, to Havana, Cuba, will proceed, with the three enlisted men of the Signal Corps under his command, to Havana, Cuba, and report to Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph E. Maxfield*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty pertaining to the Signal Corps storehouse to be established at that point. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *William A. Marye*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed to this city on official business pertaining to the inspection of projectiles, and upon the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ira MacNutt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not exceeding six visits from South Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, to Birdsboro, Pennsylvania, upon official business pertaining to the inspection of rapid-fire guns, under contract with the trustees of the Brown Segmental Tube Wire Gun, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 81, Special Orders, No. 293, December 13, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *Charles Keller*, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, is amended so as to take effect at once.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Peter E. Traub*, Adjutant, 1st U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to Major General *Guy V. Henry*, U. S. Volunteers, for assignment to duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named acting assistant surgeons, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Augusta, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Army Corps, for assignment to duty:

Molyneaux Turner;

Elbert E. Persons.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Thomas Y. Aby*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at Savannah, Georgia, and will proceed to New Orleans, Louisiana, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John D. Barrette*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is appointed special inspector under paragraph 878 of the Army Regulations and will proceed at once from Augusta, Maine, to Concord, New Hampshire, and inspect unserviceable quartermaster's stores for which 1st Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is responsible, and recommend the disposition of the property in question, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Robert H. R. Loughborough*, 25th U. S. Infantry, is detailed for duty on the general recruiting service, and upon being relieved as special regimental recruiting officer in this city will proceed to Sacramento, California, and report by letter to the Commanding General, Department of California, for assignment to a recruiting station. He will act as Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 299, December 20, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *William B. Reynolds*, 14th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward C. O'Brien*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at Fort Hamilton, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Isaac J. Anderson* and Private *Hartie J. Milam*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Chi-hua-hua*, Detachment of Indian Scouts, now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, the retirement from active service by the President, December 21, 1898, of Lieutenant Colonel *William D. Wolverton*, Deputy Surgeon General, U. S. Army, by operation of law, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 30, 1882, is announced. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. Under instructions from the President, Brigadier General *Robert H. Hull*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 4th U. S. Infantry), is relieved by the Secretary of War from the command of the 1st Brigade, 1st Division, 4th Army Corps, and will proceed to join the 4th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

53. Under instructions from the President, Brigadier Gen-

eral *John N. Andrews*, U. S. Volunteers (Colonel, 12th U. S. Infantry), is relieved by the Secretary of War from the command of the 3d Brigade, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, and will proceed to join the 12th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John T. Haines*, 5th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Kansas City, Missouri, and assume charge of the general recruiting station to be established at that point. He will act as Quartermaster while on recruiting duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 34, Special Orders, No. 298, December 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *Warren P. Newcomb*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John Conklin, jr.*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty as collector of customs at the subport of Trinidad, Cuba, and will proceed to that place and enter upon duty accordingly on or before December 31, 1898, under such instructions as may be hereafter communicated to him. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John P. Hains*, 3d U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Massachusetts, and will proceed to join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William C. Gorgas*, surgeon, U. S. Army, now in this city, is relieved from further duty in the Department of Santiago and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and establish and take charge of a general hospital, in or near that city, under such instructions as he may receive from the Surgeon General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Robert C. Williams*, 15th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Cincinnati, Ohio, and report in person to Captain *Henry H. Adams*, 18th U. S. Infantry, recruiting officer, for assignment to recruiting duty as his assistant. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Edward H. Fitz-Gerald*, U. S. Army, will report in person to

the commanding officer, 22d U. S. Infantry, for duty, and accompany that regiment to the Philippine Islands.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Charles W. Conner*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 292, December 12, 1898, from this office, is still further extended to include December 31, 1898.

62. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *John W. Murphy*, 1st Idaho Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 45, 8th Army Corps and Department of the Pacific, September 11, 1898, is extended to include December 21, 1898, on account of sickness.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John W. Murphy*, 1st Idaho Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 102, Special Orders, No. 298, December 19, 1898, from this office, relating to Major *Henry P. Birmingham*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assistant surgeon, U. S. Army), is revoked.

65. Under the provisions of section 14, of the act of April 22, 1898, and upon the report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, 2d Lieutenant *William T. Teitz*, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, is, by direction of the President, honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, as of this date, by reason of physical disability, with one month's pay and allowances.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, leave of absence for fifteen days from December 16, 1898, is granted Colonel *Myron H. McCord*, 1st Territorial Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

67. By direction of the President, paragraph 74, Special Orders, No. 289, November 28, 1898, from this office, relating to 1st Lieutenant *Joseph D. Wood*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, as amended by paragraph 28, Special Orders, No. 292, December 12, 1898, from this office, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

Lieutenant *Wood* will proceed to Pinar del Rio, Cuba, and report in person to the commanding officer, 13th Company, Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty therewith. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

68. By direction of the President, 1st Lieutenant *George G. Whitehead*, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

69. The journey performed by Chaplain *Charles T. Walker*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, from Washington, District of Columbia, to Santiago, Cuba, under instructions from this office, November 8, 1898, on official business, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

70. Leave of absence for two months, to take effect upon the completion of his examination for promotion, with permission to apply for an extension of two months, is granted 2d Lieutenant *Howard R. Hickok*, 9th U. S. Cavalry.

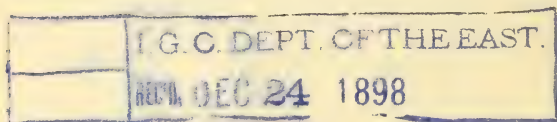
71. By direction of the President, Captain *William H. Cobb*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *E. A. Romig*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 190, December 10, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended five days.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Edwin B. Winans, jr.*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, will report by telegraph to the chief mustering officer at Flint, Michigan, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of Michigan volunteers.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



Private *Henry Beckmeyer*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Johnathan E. Kelso*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *James L. Knapp*, Company L, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Melville C. Coder*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Corporal *Charles J. Costello*, Company M, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Brady, Michigan;

Private *Albert Florida*, Company B, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Herbert A. Green*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *Harry C. Long*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia;

Private *William J. Casey*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Frank T. Hobson*, Company A, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles H. Slater*, Company C, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Stewart S. Huffman*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Meade, South Dakota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jesse D. Edwards*, Company E, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the

commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William J. Hauser*, Troop I, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be at his home, 1324 Main street, Terre Haute, Indiana, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States, by reason of desertion, by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge certificate to the soldier at the address herein given.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Fritz Hedlund*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, now on furlough at his home, Kendal Green, Massachusetts, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto W. Serth*, Company K, 16th U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Mark Temple*, Company F, 11th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward D. Aylward*, Company G, 16th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at his home in St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *William E. Loomis*, Company B, 21st U. S. Infantry, now at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas McNamara*, Troop H, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal

Corps, U. S. Army. He will report to Lieutenant Colonel *Richard P. Strong*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, at that station, for duty.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wilbur O. Sprague*, Battery G, 3d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be in the Department of the Pacific, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge of Privates *Richard O. Miller* and *Elmer O. Thompson*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, are hereby confirmed. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Fred Miller*, General Service, now at Fort Logan H. Roots, Arkansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter Arlington*, Company C, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to the general recruiting service and assigned to duty at that station. He will report to the commanding officer for duty.

21. Private *Fred L. Carroll*, Battery M, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to Light Battery F, 3d U. S. Artillery, at that station, and will report to the commanding officer of that battery for duty.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following transfers are made:

Commissary Sergeant *John Kennedy*, now at Fort Monroe, Virginia, to San Juan, Porto Rico. He will be sent to that station and upon his arrival will report to Major *Daniel Hogan*, Commissary of Subsistence of Volunteers and Post Commissary, for duty;

Commissary Sergeant *William F. Eckhardt*, now with the Post Commissary at San Juan, Porto Rico, to Fort Monroe, Virginia. He will be sent to that post and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer for duty.

23. Under paragraph 155 of the Regulations, Sergeant *William E. Bunch*, Battery M, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Stevens, Oregon, will be sent to Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, for medical treatment.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 296, December 16, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Frank A. Horton*, Light Battery C, 3d U. S. Artillery, is amended to read Battery C, 2d U. S. Artillery.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 49, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Hospital Steward *Walter C. C. Jennings*, Hospital Corps, supposed to be at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is amended to read, will be sent to Bedloes Island, New York Harbor, and will report to the commanding officer for duty upon his arrival there.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Marien H. De Graff*, Troop K, 6th U. S. Cavalry, now at Camp A. G. Forse, Huntsville, Alabama, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company B, Battalion of Engineers, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Totten, Willets Point, New York. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edmund W. Shafer*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Crook, Nebraska, is, upon his own application, transferred to Troop L, 2d U. S. Cavalry, and will be sent to the station of that troop, Huntsville, Alabama. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

28. Private *James P. Drabek*, Troop G, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 4th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations

designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles F. Russell*, Company E, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, Nuevitas, Cuba;

Corporal *Ernest Nolan*, Company A, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba;

Private *Arthur C. Brough*, Company G, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Benjamin F. Hittle*, Company L, 161st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, Indianapolis, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Chester E. Rogers*, Company F, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Bertram, Linn county, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 47, Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Walter S. Martin*, Company I, 33d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William G. Irwin*, Company I, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to San Francisco, California, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Nicholas E. Walters*, Company G, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Reinbeck, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date December 31, 1898, by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James W. Woodruff*, Company D, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Savannah, Georgia will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Samuel Jacobs*, Company M, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Pinar del Rio, Cuba;

Corporal *J. C. R. Dumke*, Company A; Privates *Theodore L. Smith*, Company H, and *J. E. Barnes*, Company K, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, Havana, Cuba;

Private *John C. Dalton*, Company F, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Santa Clara, Cuba;

Sergeant *T. J. Herndon*, Company C, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *James W. Finn*, Company D; Corporal *John F. O'Meara*, Company F; Privates *James A. Roddy* and *Thomas S. Ryan*, Company G; *James Connors*, Company H, and *John J. O'Neill*, Company M, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Corporals *Peter J. Grealy*, *Valentine A. Schutz*, and Private *John Hawse*, Company B, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Christian T. Ott*, Company B, and Private *John Donnelly*, Company H, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *William H. Park*, Company F, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Clair E. Ingman*, Company F, 2d Oregon Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

39. The following-named enlisted men, now at Boston, Massachusetts, are transferred to the 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *James J. Martin*, *Frank Pichette*, Company F; *Thomas S. Garity*, Company G; *W. H. Le Duc*, *George MacLeod*, *George L. Willson*, Company H; *George W. Bird* and *Napoleon Garceau*, Company K, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Americus, Georgia, and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *T. P. Hughes*, Company A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Carrollton, Mississippi, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 99, Special Orders, No. 298, December 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to 1st Lieutenant *Charles A. Clark*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, is revoked.

42. Leave of absence for fifteen days is granted 1st Lieutenant *John P. Hains*, 3d U. S. Artillery.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Benjamin Alvord*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 275, November 21, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

44. Paragraphs 71, Special Orders, No. 268, November 12, and 74, Special Orders, No. 297, December 17, 1898, from this office, granting extensions of sick leave of absence to Major *Hiram B. Thompson* and *Hiram B. Townsend*, surgeon, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, are amended so as to grant such extensions to Major *Hiram B. Thomson*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry.

45. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Thomas Scurry*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, now at Savannah, Georgia, will repair to this city without delay and report in person to the Adjutant General of the Army, for temporary special service. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Albertson V. Z. Post*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

47. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *James E. Kelley*, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, is extended to include January 3, 1899, on account of sickness.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 67, Special Orders, No. 236, October 6, 1898, from this office, as relates to Captain *S. V. Sanford*, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, is revoked, this officer having been previously honorably discharged the service, on tender of resignation, by paragraph 57, Special Orders, No. 231, as amended by paragraph 62, Special Orders, No. 296, December 16, 1898, from this office.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James A. Buchanan*, 11th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as collector of customs at Mayaguez, Porto Rico, and detailed for duty as collector of customs of Porto Rico and as collector of customs at its chief port. San Juan, Porto Rico. He will proceed to the latter place and enter upon duty accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Quinlan*, Company F, 3d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry Arnink*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *George W. Schroder*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged

the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Shirley D. Heyser*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division Ambulance Corps, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William M. Denbow*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, 2d Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William C. McIlrath*, Troop B, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Hilmer Charlton Pettersen*, Hospital Corps, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Gilligan*, Company B, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Warner Underwood*, Troop K, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *James L. Martin*, Troop F, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *William E. Neill*, Company D, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison

Barracks, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter J. Mitchell*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, 1st Division Hospital, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *John L. Chamberlain*, 1st U. S. Artillery (Major, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers), is, at his own request, relieved from further duty as military attaché at the Embassy of the United States in Vienna, Austria.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Isaac W. Brewer*, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty at Washington Barracks. District of Columbia, and will proceed to Fort Crook, Nebraska, and report in person to the commanding officer, 22d U. S. Infantry, for duty, to accompany that regiment to Manila, Philippine Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. Leave of absence until August 28, 1899, on surgeon's certificate of disability, is granted by the Secretary of War to Cadet *Leonard W. Prunty*, 2d Class, U. S. Military Academy.

65. Second Lieutenant *C. S. Patterson*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as judge advocate of the general court-martial convened at Willets Point, New York, by paragraph 37, Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, and 2d Lieutenant *J. C. Oakes*, Corps of Engineers, is appointed judge advocate of the said court for the trial of Sergeant *Harry Zoll*, Battery K, 7th Artillery, at the conclusion of which the officers named will resume their former duties.

66. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *André W. Brewster*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 285, December 3, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on account of sickness.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the operation of paragraph 18, Special Orders, No. 283, December 1, 1898, from this office, relieving Major *Charles L. Davis*, 11th U. S. Infantry, from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of North Carolina, to take effect December 31, 1898, is suspended.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel E. Allen*, 5th U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty at Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed at once to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer, Light Battery D, 5th U. S. Artillery, for duty with that light battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Lotus Niles*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is relieved from further duty in command of the guard on the steamer "Bratten," and will proceed from New York City, New York, to Savannah, Georgia, and join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. The journey from Savannah, Georgia, to Puerto Principe, Cuba, November 27, 1898, performed by Major *Samuel T. Armstrong*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is approved by the Secretary of War, as having been necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 34, Special Orders, No. 298, December 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to Captain *George K. McGunnegele*, 15th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

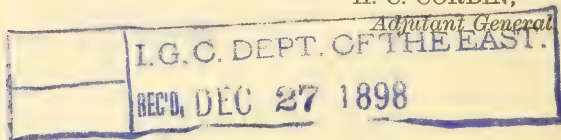
72. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Herman C. Schumm*, 2d U. S. Artillery, is detailed for duty as collector of customs at the subport of Baracoa, Cuba, and will proceed to that place and enter upon duty accordingly on or before December 31, 1898, under such instructions as may hereafter be communicated to him. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Thomas H. Wilson*, 2d U. S. Infantry, upon the expiration of his leave of absence on account of sickness, will await orders for the convenience of the Government.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,

Adjutant General



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 302. Washington, December 23, 1898.

1. Sergeant *Harry Downs*, Battery G, 2d U. S. Artillery, and three privates of that regiment, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 10, December 17, 1898, Camp Onward, Savannah, Georgia, will return to that station with permission to delay two days *en route*. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *John Hefferman*, Battery M, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort Constitution, New Hampshire;

Private *Grant Ladue*, Company K, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York;

Private *Andrew M. Deig*, Company M, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Musician *Fred P. Calkins*, Company B, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Jesse C. Tomlinson*, Company D, and Corporal *David Shoemaker*, Company K, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Ray W. Hafer*, Company K, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York;

Private *Henry White*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 4th Corps, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Fred A. Hallett*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Ernest A. Eggers*, Hospital Corps, Fort Myer, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 13, 1898, from this office,

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directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Daniel Wells*, Company E, and *James Allen Crouse*, Company I, 1st New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Roswell B. Faust*, Company A, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Clarence C. Robbins*, Company A, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Mathew H. Moore*, Company I, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Sam O. Wilson*, Private *Irby Satterwhite*, Company A; Corporal *Jerryiah U. Worsham*, Wagoner *John Bailey*, Privates *Benjamin F. Cameron*, Company B; *Samuel Cecil*, *James H. Corbett*, *Oscar M. Love*, *William D. Vaughn*, Company C; *David Gay*, *Earnest H. White*, Company D; *Robert C. Love*, *William P. Reynolds*, Company E; Artificer *Max Arhelger* and Private *Thurmond Sexton*, Company F, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 17, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Thomas Denaro*, Company G, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Leo Love*, Company E, 3d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *Lewis N. Birk*, Company F, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 52, Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Matthew Benn*, Company D, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, is amended to read: "1st Delaware Volunteer Infantry."

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William C. Odeneal*, Band, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

11. Paragraph 13, Special Orders, No. 295, December 15, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *William Blanchard*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, is revoked.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George F. Dawson*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William J. Fay*, Hospital Corps, now at 4615 Maryland avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 1st Division Hospital, 3d Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Fowler*, Company G, 15th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report to the commanding officer for duty as telegraph operator at the U. S. military telegraph office at that post.

15. Private *Patrick Ronayne*, Company F, 15th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be sick in hospital at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, is transferred to Battery I, 3d U. S. Artillery. He will be sent to the station of that battery, Angel Island, California, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer for duty.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles Williams*, Company D, 13th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Columbus, New York, is upon his own application transferred to the 19th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Ponce, Porto Rico, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer, if any, will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Fred. A. Riggs*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, now at Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, is upon his own application transferred to Battery D, 3d U. S. Artillery, and will be sent to the station of that battery, San Diego Barracks, California. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin L. Preston*, Company F, 6th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is transferred to the general service and will report to the commanding officer for duty with the recruiting detachment at that post.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter C. Wills*, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Otto F. Frese*, Hospital Corps, now at West Point, New York,

is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that post.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *G. S. Carr*, Hospital Corps, now at U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, is detailed as acting hospital steward and assigned to duty at that hospital.

22. Private *Joseph P. McNeary*, Governors Island Band, now at Fort Columbus, New York, is transferred to the band, 10th U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the station of that organization, Havana, Cuba, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer for duty.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Hospital Steward *John S. Neate*, now supposed to be on sick furlough at Fort McHenry, Maryland, is assigned to duty at that post. He will report to the commanding officer thereof for duty on or before the expiration of his furlough.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William M. Urquhart*, Hospital Corps, attached to the 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now at Bradford, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the U. S. mustering officer, Fidelity Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Joseph W. Lacour* and *Louis L. Wittgenfeld*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be at the U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at that hospital.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Schryer*, Light Battery E, 1st U. S. Artillery, attached to Light Battery B, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that battery. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John A. Winston*, Company I, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will report to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Ernest Boeckh* and *Horton D. Walker*, Hospital Corps, now

at U. S. General Hospital, Fort McPherson, Georgia, are detailed as acting hospital stewards and assigned to duty at that hospital.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Stephen H. Burns*, Company K, 2d U. S. Infantry, now at An-niston, Alabama, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *George L. Randolph*, Foot Service (colored), now in the hands of the civil authorities, serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of Columbus Bar-racks, Ohio. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George A. Nielsen*, Troop G, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Duffy*, Company K, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regula-tions the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Barney Woods*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on fur-lough at his home, 427 Washington street, New York, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of the 2d Division Hospital, 3d Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William F. Weil*, Troop M, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding

officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge of Private *Arthur C. Taylor*, Hospital Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

36. Paragraph 43, Special Orders, No. 296, December 16, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Volkert A. Blikslager*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin G. Burlingame*, Hospital Corps, now on furlough at his home, Petersburg, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the chief surgeon, Department of Santiago, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

38. The leave of absence granted Major *George E. Lyon*, surgeon, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, in Special Orders, No. 49, November 12, 1898, Headquarters, 1st Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Frederick E. C. Vincent*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, now at Minneapolis, Minnesota, is detailed for special duty as recruiting officer for the Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, with headquarters in that city, and with authority to make enlistments in North Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for ten days, to take effect December 23, 1898, is granted Lieutenant Colonel *Otto H. Falk*, inspector, Quartermaster's Department.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 69, Special Orders, No. 212, dated War Department, Adjutant General's Office, September 8, 1898, as relates to Sergeant *Leo Van Waldeven*, Company C, 2d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now at Macon, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Felix Arrington, E. L. Gardner, Henry Howard, Walter Johnson, Walter Pinkard*, Company A; *William Gathright, W. R. Jackson, Frank Walker, Washington Wilbert*, Company B; *Frank Hill*, Company D; *Henry Buckner*, Company F; Musician *Frederick McCoy*, Privates *Frank Anderson, Matthew Burks, Daniel Herd, John Ross, Edward Wilson*, Company H; Musician *Richard Coppage*, Privates *William Wilkerson*, Company I; *Charles S. F. Bozier, James Campbell, Richard S. Miller, and Fred Watkins*, Company K, 7th U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *A. N. Powell*, Company C, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *E. O. Brothers*, Company F, and *Harry Dole*, Company M, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Samuel Block*, Company F, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Lester S. Barney*, Company D, 8th California Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Thomas Norris*, Company I, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *James Hubka*, Troop G, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Thomas Jordan*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Ralph L. Hackett*, Battery B, 1st Maine Heavy Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Stanley Williams*, Company F, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *P. J. Byrnes*, Company D; Privates *John Castello*, Company K, and *William M. J. Wood*, Company L, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John Davis*, Company A, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Charles P. Bland*, Company B, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Samuel W. Dixon*, Company B; Corporal *David Benbow* and Private *Fred C. R. Reimer*, Company D; Corporal *Stanley Genovar* and Private *W. L. Keller*, Company G, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *F. E. Davis*, Company K, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Herman C. Pond*, Company F, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles O. Junge*, Company B, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank L. Kilmer*, Company H, and Sergeant Major *Fred T. Haines*, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

49. Corporal *Andrew Luehart*, Company B, and Private *Joseph A. Leftes*, Company F, 10th U. S. Infantry, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in Special Orders of December 19, 1898, Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory, will be sent to that station.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for four days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 64, Special Orders, No. 292, December 12, 1898, from this office, as directs Captain *Benjamin Johnson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, to temporarily relieve Captain *Homer F. Aspinwall*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of his duties on the U. S. transport "Manitoba," is revoked.

Captain *Johnson*, accompanied by his two clerks, will proceed at once to Lexington, Kentucky, and resume his duties as Quartermaster at that station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles A. H. McCauley*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will proceed from Philadelphia to Columbia, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Morris C. Foote*, 9th U. S. Infantry, will report by telegraph to Brigadier General *Wallace F. Randolph*, U. S. Volunteers, chief mustering officer for the State of New York, for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of New York Volunteers.

53. The leave of absence granted Lieutenant Colonel *William M. Van Horne*, 18th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 68, November 25, 1898, Department of the Missouri, is extended one month.

54. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *George J. Holden*, 10th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 176, November 26, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *David L. Hough*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now in New York City, will report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, General Superintendent, Army Transport Service, for assignment to temporary duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the U. S. transport "*Manitoba*," to make one or two round trips thereon, to relieve Captain *Homer F. Aspinwall*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, for that purpose. Captain *Hough's* duties on the transport in question will terminate at least one week before his muster out, and on completion of the duty specified will return to his proper station.

Captain *Aspinwall*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to this city and report in person to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further instructions.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Victor C. Vaughan*, division surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, and Major *Edward O. Shakespeare*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, members of the board of medical officers appointed by paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 194, August 18, 1898, from this office, and assigned to duty in this city by paragraph 65, Special Orders, No. 246, October 18, 1898, from this office, are assigned to duty in this city for an additional period of three months for the purpose of completing their report.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Arthur L. Wagner*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty in the office of the Adjutant General of the Army, and will proceed to St. Paul, Minnesota, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Dakota, for duty as Adjutant General of that department, to relieve Major *Samuel D. Sturgis*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Edward E. Hardin*, 7th U. S. Infantry, will report by telegraph to

the chief mustering officer at New York City for duty as assistant mustering officer, Acting Assistant Quartermaster, Acting Commissary of Subsistence, and acting ordnance officer, in connection with the muster out of service of New York volunteers.

59. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John P. Wisser*, 7th U. S. Artillery, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Connecticut and will proceed to join his command. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. The leave of absence, on surgeon's certificate of disability, granted Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph G. Ramsay*, 7th U. S. Artillery, in Special Orders, No. 265, November 14, 1898, Department of the East, is extended three months, on surgeon's certificate of disability.

61. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Bert H. Merchant*, 8th U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp, in Special Orders, No. 254, October 27, 1898, from this office, is further extended two months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

62. Leave of absence for seven days is granted 2d Lieutenant *Thomas W. Darrah*, 9th U. S. Infantry.

63. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *George M. Whitson*, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 30, November 17, 1898, Department of Porto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

64. Leave of absence for twelve days is granted Captain *Jacob M. Porter*, Company A, 1st Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

65. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Herbert Chojynski*, Battery B, California Volunteer Heavy Artillery, having tendered his resignation is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months is granted Major *Samuel K. Crawford*, surgeon, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

67. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John M. Phillips*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division Hospital, 7th Army Corps, now supposed to be at Savannah, Georgia, will

be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

68. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry H. Pace*, Troop F, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of his regiment will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will proceed to West Point, New York, and report in person to the Superintendent, U. S. Military Academy, as soon as possible after January 1, 1899, for assignment to duty at the Academy:

Major *Joseph Wheeler, jr.*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers (2d Lieutenant, 4th U. S. Artillery);

Second Lieutenant *Alston Hamilton*, 1st U. S. Artillery;

Second Lieutenant *Hamilton S. Hawkins*, 4th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *George F. Hamilton*, 9th U. S. Cavalry.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Daniel E. McCarthy*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will relieve Captain *Edward C. McDowell*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of his duties at Chattanooga, Tennessee, and Chickamauga Park, Georgia. Captain *McDowell*, upon being thus relieved, will proceed at once to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster of the 1st Brigade, 2d Division, of that corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George W. Ruthers*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, purchasing and depot commissary at Savannah, Georgia,

will make such journeys as may be necessary between Savannah, Georgia, and Charleston, South Carolina, and return, on official business pertaining to the supply of transports with subsistence supplies. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Jesse W. Smith*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is detailed for duty as collector of customs at the subport of Gibara, Cuba, and will enter upon duty accordingly.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Elmer A. Dean*, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 493, November 17, 1898, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky, is extended to include December 8, 1898.

74. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Clifford Arrack*, Additional Paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in the Department of the Gulf, and will proceed to this city and report for duty to the Paymaster General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

75. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Major *Charles A. Dempsey*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 159, November 8, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

76. Lieutenant Colonel *Charles Porter*, 22d U. S. Infantry, having been found by an Army retiring board incapacitated for active service, on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement from active service this date by the President, under provisions of section 1251, Revised Statutes, is announced by the Secretary of War. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

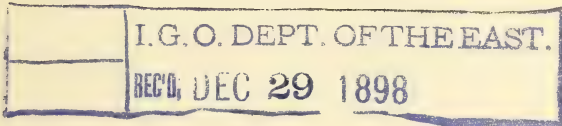
77. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Frank A. Barton*, 10th U. S. Cavalry, will report in person without delay to Colonel *William H. Powell*, 9th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Madison Barracks, New York, by Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, for examination as to his fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John S. Sewell*, 1st U. S. Volunteer Engineers (1st Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army), will proceed at once from Louisville, Kentucky, to this city, and report in person to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, for duty under his immediate orders. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Truman O. Murphy*, 10th U. S. Infantry, will close the special regimental recruiting station at Mansfield, Ohio, and proceed to Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and report to the recruiting officer, No. 951 Penn avenue, for duty on the general recruiting service at that station.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 303. } Washington, December 24, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *John Bowman*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Bertrand F. Bowser*, Company F, 1st District of Columbia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *William H. Laciard*, Company D, 9th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 7, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Orley E. Laird*, Company F, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 25, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Thomas McGurk* and Corporal *E. H. McGurk*, 13th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

Inspector General

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *James T. Shepherd*, Company G, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Musician *Louie B. Arnold*, Company L, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Frank Schmidt*, Company G, 1st Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Samuel John*, Company G, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. The following-named enlisted men, now at Boston, Massachusetts, are transferred to the 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *Don R. Williamson*, Company C; *Albert D. Price*, Company E; *Jeremiah Frazee*, and *Timothy E. McGee*, Company F, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Americus, Georgia, and will report upon their arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Eugene Jobe*, Company F, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now on sick furlough at his home, Greeneville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *J. B. Raffensparger*, Company A, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infan-

try, now on sick furlough at his home, 202 Sixth avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Stanley Rush Sharts*, Company C, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to Company A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers. He will be sent to the station of that company, Havana, Cuba, and will upon arrival report to the commanding officer for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Leonard D. Ward*, Troop H, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yellowstone, Wyoming;

Private *John Abramson*, Troop B, 4th U. S. Cavalry, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *Arthur V. Keyes*, Troop K, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *William Armstrong*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Victor Christenson*, Company I, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *John C. Harrington*, Company —, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *Thomas P. Conneff*, Company B, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Walter F. Cunningham*, Company I, 12th U. S. Infantry, Fort Riley, Kansas.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William L. Dunn*, Battery M, 2d U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities, serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his battery. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Gottlieb Becker*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort

Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

16. Sergeant *August Luer*, Troop D, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Augusta, Georgia, is transferred as private to the 16th U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Huntsville, Alabama, for assignment to a company.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Frank Sterr*, Troop I, 5th U. S. Cavalry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Privates *Andrew J. Murphy*, Battery C, and *John Hendry*, Light Battery F, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *Bruno L. Putzker*, Battery K, 3d U. S. Artillery, Manila, Philippine Islands;

Private *John C. Becka*, Battery L, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Wadsworth, New York;

Private *Frederick Hilgendorf*, Company K, 21st U. S. Infantry, Plattsburg Barracks, New York;

Acting Hospital Steward *Deane D. Davis*, Hospital Corps, Bedloes Island, New York Harbor;

Private *John D. Malloy*, Hospital Corps, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *Amos W. Powell*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia;

Acting Hospital Steward *James H. Robinson*, Hospital Corps, Division Hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *Gradus Seghers*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Private *Le Roy E. Walker*, Hospital Corps, Watervliet Arsenal, New York.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Sharpe, jr.*, Company C, 17th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is transferred to

the General Service. He will be sent to the recruiting station, 951 Penn avenue, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and will report upon his arrival there to the officer in charge for duty.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 267, November 11, 1898, from this office, relating to Acting Hospital Steward *Sydney C. Schwarzkopf*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, "This soldier is entitled to travel-pay."

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James M. Park*, Troop K, 8th U. S. Cavalry, now in confinement at Huntsville, Alabama, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry C. Caldwell*, Hospital Corps, Hospital Train, Atlanta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Florence Feuerstein*, Troop L, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Chas. L. Welteroth*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, now supposed to be at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay and allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *William T. Mitchell*, Battery E, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Corporal *Wat R. Burnett*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

25. The journeys performed by Captain *Jefferson Wilcox*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, from Santiago, Cuba, to New York City, New York, under telegraphic instructions from this office, dated September 30, 1898, and from Washington, District of Columbia, to Willacoochee, Georgia, under Special Orders, No. 262, November 5, 1898, from this office, are approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Tracy C. Dickson*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed seven visits during the months of December, 1898, and January, 1899, from Springfield Armory, Springfield, Massachusetts, to the works of the Winchester Repeating Arms Company, New Haven, Connecticut, on official business pertaining to the inspection of Winchester rifles, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William N. Rainey*, Company L, 2d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George A. Vernon*, Company C, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 82, Special Orders, No. 296, December 16, 1898, from this office, relating to Captain *Frank B. McKenna*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked, and he will proceed to Savannah, Georgia, and report in person to Major General

John R. Brooke, U. S. Army, and resume his duties as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. Leave of absence for ten days is granted 1st Lieutenant *Frank H. Burgess*, 8th Regiment, U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

31. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 300, December 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *Alfred C. Sharpe*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 22d U. S. Infantry), is suspended by the Secretary of War until further orders.

32. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 300, December 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *Frederick A. Smith*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 12th U. S. Infantry), is revoked by the Secretary of War.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant Major *Bolling G. Nelson*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Walter Kline*, Company B, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Harry R. Spinney*, Company A, 1st Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *J. A. Ray*, Troop G, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry;

Private *J. O. La Fontisse*, Company M, 1st Florida Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States

by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *John N. Callaway*, Company A, and *Henry A. West*, Company H, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry:

Corporal *Albert M. Sprague*, Company F, 4th Missouri Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank O. Prowse*, Company E, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *R. H. Hays*, Company A, and *William B. Stith*, Company C, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *William E. Baker*, Company K, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Malcolm Brownrigg*, Company A, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Rue H. Davison*, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry,

Private *Hiram B. Jones*, Company G, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Joshua C. Bowers*, Company C, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry;

Chief Musician *H. H. Verdery*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Orie Wasson*, Company H, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *Joseph T. Grobusky* and *W. F. White*, Company H, and Sergeant *Walter K. West*, Company M, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *J. F. Howell*, 1st Troop, Utah Volunteer Cavalry.
These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 12, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Richard E. Hutchison*, Company C, 4th Texas Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *James P. Doyle*, Company C, and *Henry N. Jenkins*, Company E, 2d South Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Augustus A. Bush*, Company H, 2d Mississippi Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Charles C. Clarke*, Company K, 4th Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *George H. Moore* and Private *Fred H. Griffin*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Clyde C. McReynolds*, Troop A; Sergeant *Victor E. Gothe*, Trumpeter *A. E. Schofield*, Privates *Thomas W. O'Donnell*, *William N. Schofield*, *Edward C. Sibley*, *Frank J. Wolf*, Troop B; Sergeant *Phil Carman*, Saddler *Milo Hamilton*, Wagoner *Frank Valentine*, Privates *Robert F. Long*, *Archie H. Sellars*, Troop E; Corporal *Josiah H. Eardley*, Privates *Albert B. Ekdall*, Troop F; *Eugene O'Brien*, Troop K, and *Joseph C. Harris*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Burton C. Morris*, Troop I, 2d U. S. Volunteer Cavalry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Robert*

Bruce, Company H, 1st Washington Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 8, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *John D. Voget*, Company K, 1st New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George O. Gish*, Company F, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John L. Neighbors*, Company I, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

45 Private *Robert Carter*, Troop A, 10th U. S. Cavalry, now in this city without means to rejoin his command, will be sent to the station of his troop, Huntsville, Alabama, and will report upon his arrival there to the commanding officer for duty.

The Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for two days, it being impracticable for this soldier to carry rations of any kind. The cost of transportation and increased cost of subsistence will be charged against the soldier on the next muster and pay-roll of his troop.

46. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, December 24, 1898.

By direction of the President, the unexecuted portions of the sentences published in Special Orders, No. 18, Department of Porto Rico, November 4, 1898, in the cases of general prisoners *Ollie Briwner* and *P. M. Barnes*, late privates, Company A, and *F. P. Ford*, late private, Company

E, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and *John McOlley*, late civilian teamster, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, are remitted, and the prisoners will be set at liberty.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *David L. Foote*, Company M, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James M. Joplin*, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *Abiel L. Smith*, Subsistence Department, Purchasing and Depot Commissary at Havana, Cuba, accompanied by an interpreter, will make not to exceed one visit to each of the stations of U. S. troops in Western Cuba to be supplied with subsistence stores from the Subsistence Depot at Havana, on official business pertaining to arrangements for the delivery of fresh beef, fresh vegetables, and other supplies, and on the completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. The journey from Detroit, Michigan, to Fernandina, Florida, about August 29, 1898, performed by Acting Assistant Surgeon *John Lee*, U. S. Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Wright*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, and Captain *William B. Cowin*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, are temporarily detached from the 2d Brigade, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, and will report in person to Major General *John C. Bates*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Army Corps, for duty on his staff, and they will accompany him to Cienfuegos, Cuba.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers, having tendered their resignations, are honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date:

First Lieutenant *Percy M. Burrill*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

First Lieutenant *Tompkins McIlvaine*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Second Lieutenant *Thomas M. Raborg*, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

53. By direction of the President, the operation of so much of paragraph 29, Special Orders, No. 300, December 21, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *Alfred C. Sharpe*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 22d U. S. Infantry), is revoked by the Secretary of War.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Alfred C. Sharpe*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 22d U. S. Infantry), is relieved from his present duties and will proceed to San Juan, Porto Rico, and report in person to Major General *Guy V. Henry*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding Department of Porto Rico, for assignment to duty as Acting Judge Advocate of that Department. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *William R. Graham*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in Omaha, Nebraska, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, *via* New York City, New York, and report in person to the chief paymaster, Division of Cuba, for duty and station in Havana, Cuba, and by letter to the commanding general of that division. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

56. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment of Captain *Robert Sewell*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, to the 3d Brigade, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, in General Orders, No. 172, October 22, 1898, from this office, is revoked, and he will proceed to Huntsville, Alabama, and report in person to Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 4th Army Corps, for assignment

and duty as aid-de-camp on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *James B. Mitchell*, 4th Artillery, is relieved from further duty as acting engineer officer, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps, and will proceed to join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Henry C. Getzendanner*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

59. The leave of absence for fifteen days granted Captain *Adolph B. Collier*, Adjutant, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 77, 1st Army Corps, December 11, 1898, is extended fifteen days.

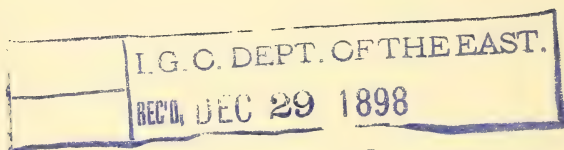
60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Elmore F. Taggart*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will proceed at once to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Chief Commissary of Subsistence on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Albert S. Brookes*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (2d Lieutenant, 18th U. S. Infantry), upon being relieved by an officer to be designated by the Commanding General, Department of the Columbia, of his duties as Chief Commissary of that department, and as Purchasing Commissary at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, will proceed at once to San Francisco, California, for duty as Commissary and Acting Assistant Quartermaster on the Transport "Scandia," to relieve Captain *Nathaniel T. Messer*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties. Upon arrival at Manila, Philippine Islands, Captain *Brookes* will transfer his duties on the transport to Major *Sidney A. Cloman*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, Purchasing and Depot Commissary, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, the appointment of Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers (Major, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Army), as collector of customs for Cuba and as collector of customs at its chief port, Havana, Cuba, to date from December 19, 1898, is announced.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

THEO. SCHWAN,
Acting Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 304. } Washington, December 27, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *James C. Humphrey* and one private of the Hospital Corps, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in paragraph 6, Special Orders, No. 90, December 24, 1898, Headquarters, 1st Army Corps, Macon, Georgia, will return to that station.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for one day, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Frank Adams*, Company G, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred as private to the general service. He will be sent to the recruiting station, 57 Public Square, Cleveland, Ohio, and upon his arrival there will report to the officer in charge there for duty.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Allen S. Briggs*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now supposed to be on furlough, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier care of Mrs. M. T. Briggs, Sea Isle City, New Jersey. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles A. Pfeiffer*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Robert M. Mullugs*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

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6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John B. Fowler*, Hospital Corps, attached to 1st U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Daniel E. Miller* (appointed December 22, 1898, from Quartermaster Sergeant, 12th U. S. Infantry), now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be sent to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming. Upon arrival at that post he will report to the commanding officer for duty.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Stanley H. Robbins*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Riley, Kansas, is detailed as acting hospital steward. He will be sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer of that post for duty.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *John J. Hughes* and *Frank Ruth*, Company D, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *William Bostock* and *Philip Reilly*, Light Battery D, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Walsh*, Battery E, 2d U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his battery, by reason of desertion. The discharge certificate will be forwarded to this office. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 287, December 6, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Joseph E. Shultz*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, is revoked.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Joseph W. Carroll*, Troop K, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont;

Private *Thomas B. Jayave*, Battery D, 4th U. S. Artillery, Fort McHenry, Maryland;

Privates *William J. Dugan*, Battery I, and *Harvey G. Dyer*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Harley H. Jadwin*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *George T. Langhorne*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to Fort Riley, Kansas, and report in person to the commanding officer, 1st U. S. Cavalry, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

15. By direction of the President, Captain *Charles R. Warren*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *Colville P. Terrett*, 8th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

17. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Samuel F. Dallam*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 200, current series, 4th Army Corps, is extended seven days.

18. By direction of the President, Captain *Walter A. Dayton*, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

19. Leave of absence for twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Dana W. Kilburn*, 3d U. S. Infantry.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *Argalus G. Hennisee*, 2d

U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 275, November 21, 1898, from this office, is further extended four months.

21. The following order has been received from the War Department:

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Washington, December 23, 1898.*

By direction of the President, so much of War Department order, dated October 31, 1898, published in paragraph 9, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from Headquarters of the Army, as honorably discharges from the volunteer army of the United States Brigadier General *Theodore A. Baldwin* (Lieutenant Colonel, 10th U. S. Cavalry), to date December 31, 1898, is amended, to take effect January 31, 1899.

R. A. ALGER,
Secretary of War.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry A. De Gan*, Troop L, 2d U. S. Cavalry, supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

23. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence on account of sickness granted 2d Lieutenant *Joseph F. Gohn*, 14th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 104, November 11, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended four months on surgeon's certificate of disability.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Roy P. Benedict*, Company E, 11th U. S. Infantry, now in hospital at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph P. O'Hara*, Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Terry W. Dolan*, Company E, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Carl J. Shilling*, Hospital Corps, now at Lands End, South

Carolina, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Recruit *Charles K. Dillman*, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *Charlton E. Yocom*, 6th Company, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, camp at Augusta, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. The leave of absence granted Major *David C. Peyton*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 293, December 13, 1898, from this office, is extended seven days.

31. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry R. Brinkerhoff*, 3d U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Missouri, and will proceed to join his command. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

32. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William C. Wren*, 17th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Michigan, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

33. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Pierce M. B. Travis*, 11th U. S. Infantry, is detailed for duty as collector of customs at the subport of Mayaguez, Porto Rico, and will proceed to that place and enter upon duty accordingly, under such instructions as may hereafter be communicated to him. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *William F. Flynn*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Missouri.

35. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Stephen P. Jocelyn*, 19th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Vermont, and will proceed

to Louisville, Kentucky, and relieve Captain *James M. Burns*, 17th U. S. Infantry, from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Kentucky. Captain *Burns* upon being thus relieved will proceed to join his regiment. The travel required in the execution of this order is necessary for the public service.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas Murphy*, Company B, 7th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at Denver, Colorado, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Fort Wayne, Michigan, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care of W. K. Fleming, 420 Equitable Building, Denver, Colorado. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

37. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Daniel G. Berry*, 1st U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 171, November 21, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Quartermaster Sergeant *Frank D. Richards*, Company L, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Island Ford, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States, to date December 27, 1898, by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. Under instructions from the President, Major General *William R. Shafter*, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved by the Secretary of War from the command of the Department of the East, and is assigned to the command of the Department of California, to relieve Major General *Henry C. Merriam*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed to San Francisco, California, and enter upon duty accordingly. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. Under instructions from the President, Major General *Wesley Merritt*, U. S. Army, is relieved by the Secretary of War from the command of the Department of the Pacific, and from further duty pertaining to the Philippine Islands, and

will proceed to New York City, New York, and assume command of the Department of the East. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles L. Tilden*, 1st California Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect December 22, 1898.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *J. Stanley Wilson*, 15th Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States to take effect this date.

43. Leave of absence until August 28, 1899, on surgeon's certificates of disability is granted by the Secretary of War to the following-named cadets of the 4th Class, U. S. Military Academy:

Alexander B. Meekison ;

William A. Shallenberger.

44. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Henry C. Keene, jr.*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 254, October 27, 1898, from this office, is extended two months on account of sickness.

45. The journey from Atlanta, Georgia, to this city, under instructions from the Paymaster General of the Army, performed by Major *Glenn H. Logan*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

46. The leave of absence granted Major *William R. Hall*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 283, December 1, 1898, from this office, is extended ten days.

47. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Reuben C. Lemmon*, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 283, paragraph 35, from this office, is further extended one month on account of sickness.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *George W. Cole*, 7th U. S. Cavalry, is relieved from duty as aid-de-camp on the staff of Brigadier General *Nelson Cole*, U. S. Volunteers, and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Arthur Murray*, 1st U. S. Artillery, will proceed to Macon, Georgia,

and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty on his staff. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. The leave of absence heretofore granted 2d Lieutenant *Robert H. C. Kelton*, 1st U. S. Artillery, is extended ten days.

51. By direction of the President, Major *Herbert Katz*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect December 31, 1898.

52. By direction of the Secretary of War, the board of officers appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 235, October 5, 1898, from this office, for the examination of officers to determine their fitness for promotion, is dissolved.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of officers is appointed to meet at the call of the president thereof at Huntsville, Alabama, for the examination of such officers as may be ordered before it to determine their fitness for promotion.

Detail for the board.

Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry;

Major *William D. Beach*, engineer officer, U. S. Volunteers (Captain, 3d U. S. Cavalry);

Captain *Champe C. McCulloch, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

Captain *Thomas J. Lewis*, 2d U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *John H. Stone*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

First Lieutenant *John S. Winn*, 2d U. S. Cavalry, recorder.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following-named officers will report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas M. K. Smith*, 10th U. S. Infantry, president of the examining board appointed to meet at Huntsville, Alabama, by Special Orders, No. 304, December 27, 1898, from this office, at such time as they may be required by the board, for examination as to their fitness for promotion, and upon the completion thereof will return to their proper stations, or to the places of receipt by them of this order.

First Lieutenant *Francis G. Irwin, jr.*, 2d U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Roger B. Bryan*, 2d U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *William S. Scott*, 1st U. S. Cavalry (Major and Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers);

First Lieutenant *Daniel L. Tate*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

First Lieutenant *Godfrey H. Macdonald*, 1st U. S. Cavalry (Major and chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers);

First Lieutenant *DeRosey C. Cabell*, 8th U. S. Cavalry (Lieutenant Colonel, 2d Arkansas Volunteers);

First Lieutenant *Samuel E. Smiley*, 15th U. S. Infantry, aid-de-camp;

Second Lieutenant *Alexander M. Davis*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, aid-de-camp;

Second Lieutenant *Edmund M. Leary*, 2d U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Julius T. Conrad*, 3d U. S. Cavalry, aid-de-camp;

Second Lieutenant *Samuel B. Arnold*, 1st U. S. Cavalry, aid-de-camp;

Second Lieutenant *George W. Kirkpatrick*, 8th U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *Cornelius C. Smith*, 2d U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *John H. Rice*, 3d U. S. Cavalry;

Second Lieutenant *William R. Smedberg, jr.*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, aid-de-camp.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Paul M. Pace*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *H. B. Thomas*, Battery G, 1st U. S. Artillery, Fort Point, Texas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 4, Special Orders, No. 298, December 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *George C. Turner*, Battery C, 5th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John F. Newnam*, Troop M, 1st U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort

Meade, South Dakota, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *John J. O'Keefe*, now in Havana, Cuba, will report to Lieutenant Colonel *A. L. Smith*, U. S. Army, Purchasing Commissary at that place, for duty.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Commissary Sergeant *Willis E. Morgan*, now in Havana, Cuba, will be sent to Puerto Principe, Cuba, and will, upon his arrival, report to the commanding officer at that station for duty.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Henry S. Kilbourne*, surgeon, U. S. Army, Medical Inspector, Army Transport Service, now in New York City, New York, will proceed without delay to Bath, Maine, on official business pertaining to that service, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William Black*, 24th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report in person, not later than the 31st instant, to 2d Lieutenant *Frank Hassaurek*, 17th U. S. Infantry, Judge Advocate, as witness before the general court-martial now in session at that post, and, when his services are no longer required, will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Jonathan N. Patton*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City to Montauk, New York, on official business pertaining to the Quartermaster's Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station and resume his temporary duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Clifford S. Walton*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in the office of the Paymaster General of the Army, and will proceed at once to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Major General *William Ludlow*, U. S. Volunteers, for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

65. Second Lieutenant *Gordon G. Heiner*, 4th U. S. Artillery, is relieved from temporary duty at Fort Myer, Virginia, and will proceed at once to join his battery. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

66. Leave of absence for twenty days on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Horace M. Reeve*, 3d U. S. Infantry.

67. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made to take effect this date:

Second Lieutenant *Henry J. Hatch*, from the 2d U. S. Artillery to the 4th U. S. Artillery, Battery M;

Second Lieutenant *George Williams*, from the 4th U. S. Artillery to the 2d U. S. Artillery, Battery M.

The officers named will proceed at once to join their batteries. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

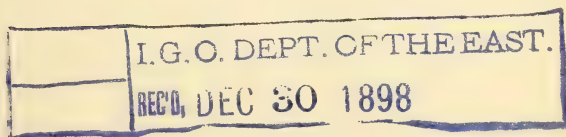
68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles W. Kayser*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation to take effect December 31, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States as of that date.

69. The extension of leave of absence granted Colonel *David G. Colson*, 4th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 294, paragraph 69, December 14, 1898, from this office, is further extended ten days.

70. The leave of absence for seven days heretofore granted Captain *D. S. Bender*, 160th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, is extended fifteen days.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.





SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 305. } Washington, December 28, 1898.

1. Private *Emmet R. Harris*, Company —, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred to Troop L, 8th U. S. Cavalry, supposed to be at that station.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wenzel Friedrich*, Company D, 3d U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Raymond B. Carver*, Troop E, 5th U. S. Cavalry, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Lon Lewis*, Company K, 20th U. S. Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 3, Special Orders, No. 298, December 19, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *William E. Jencks*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read "now at Coamo, Porto Rico."

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles S. Browser*, Troop K, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. The following-named enlisted men, now in this city, having performed the duties assigned them in Special Orders, No. 266, December 24, 1898, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will return to that station:

Sergeant *Andrew Keller*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, with permission to delay ten days *en route*;

Inspector General

Private *Bernard Gannon*, Light Battery K, 1st U. S. Artillery, with permission to delay four days *en route*.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation, and the Subsistence Department will pay commutation of rations in advance at the prescribed rate for four days, it being impracticable for these soldiers to carry rations of any kind.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Thomas H. Stubbs*, Hospital Corps, 7th Army Corps, Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James Rogers*, Company H, 1st U. S. Infantry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John J. Inglesby*, Troop G, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Orson L. Early*, Troop B, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Hume R. Gray*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *Charles Mills*, Company B; *John Carrol*, Company H, and *James Pannabecker*, Company M, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Marion E. Bolles*, Hospital Corps, Columbus, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Herbert D. Cole*, now at Fort Preble, Maine, will be sent to Bath, Maine, and upon his arrival there will report to the Quartermaster commanding the U. S. transport "Mohawk," at that place, for duty.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *John W. Thomas*, Company A, and *Joseph E. White*, Company E, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of their station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations these soldiers are not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished them.

14. By direction of the Secretary of War, the assignment to duty in this city for twenty days from December 22, 1898, of Captain *William R. Abercrombie*, 2d U. S. Infantry, is announced.

15. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Fine W. Smith*, 12th U. S. Infantry, will, upon the expiration of his present sick leave of absence, proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

16. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *David A. Lyle*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed fifteen visits, between January 1 and March 15, 1899, from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to the works of the Penn Steel Casting Company, Chester, Pennsylvania, and the works of the American Steel Casting Company, Thurlow, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and inspection of seacoast gun carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

17. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Lawson M. Fuller*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will proceed from Baltimore, Maryland, to Sandy Hook Proving Ground, New Jersey, on official business pertaining to the manufacture and test of seacoast mortar carriages, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

18. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Edward C. Carter*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers (Captain and assist-

ant surgeon, U. S. Army), will report in person to Colonel *Dallas Baché*, Assistant Surgeon General, president of the examining board appointed to meet at the Army Medical Museum Building, Washington, District of Columbia, by Special Orders, No. 212, September 8, 1898, from this office, at such time as he may be required by the board, for examination as to his fitness for promotion.

19. The travel from Lima, Peru, to this city, under telegraphic instructions from this office of November 23, 1898, performed by Captain *James B. Hickey*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

20. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James B. Hickey*, 8th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed at once from this city to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Division of Cuba, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 297, December 17, 1898, from this office, relating to Private *Frank H. Ryder*, Hospital Corps, is revoked.

22. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 250, October 22, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Frank H. Ryder*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, now at Fort Brady, Michigan.

23. The resignation by Major *Stephen C. Mills*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, of his commission as Captain, 13th U. S. Infantry, only, has been accepted by the President, to take effect December 14, 1898.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Jose M. Delyado*, U. S. Army, is extended ten days.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *J. N. Kelly*, Hospital Corps, now on duty aboard the U. S. transport "Mohawk," Bath, Maine, will be discharged the service of the United States by the Quartermaster in charge of that vessel. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry M. Lamb*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Wayne, Michi-

gan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frank H. Edmunds*, chief ordnance officer, U. S. Volunteers, on the expiration of his present sick leave of absence will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

28. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William F. Lippitt, jr.*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is detailed as a member of the board of medical officers convened by paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 256, October 29, 1898, from this office, *vice* Captain *George D. DeShon*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, hereby relieved.

29. The acquittal of Private *Frederick J. Curtin*, Hospital Corps, U. S. Army, recently tried by general court-martial at West Point, New York, on charge of neglect of duty, in violation of the 62d Article of War, found not guilty and acquitted, is approved and he will be released and restored to duty.

30. Under instructions from the President, the Secretary of War relieves Major General *Henry W. Lawton*, U. S. Volunteers, from the command of the 4th Army Corps, and directs him to proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to Major General *Elwell S. Otis*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding Department of the Pacific, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

31. The leave of absence for one month granted 2d Lieutenant *Eugene R. Gonzalez*, 47th New York Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 21, Department of Porto Rico, November 8, 1898, is extended fifteen days.

32. The leave of absence for fifteen days heretofore granted Captain *James P. Grey*, 2d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, is extended five days.

33. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *James Malcolm Graham*, 11th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 287, December 6, 1898, from this office, is extended fifteen days.

34. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of ab-

sence heretofore granted 1st Lieutenant *Joseph S. Simcox*, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, is extended one month on account of sickness.

35. With the approval of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *John B. Lobdell*, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 286, December 5, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days on account of sickness.

36. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George L. Scott*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, will proceed to the La Pointe Indian Agency, Wisconsin, for the purpose of adjusting his accounts while acting as Indian agent of that agency, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

37. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *James H. McCall*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Fort Monroe, Virginia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital at that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

38. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Samuel V. McClure*, 7th U. S. Infantry, having been found by an examining board unfitted for promotion on account of physical disability contracted in the line of duty, will proceed to his home and report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted Captain *Frederick T. Van Liew*, 2d U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

40. Leave of absence for ten days, to take effect on or about January 2, 1899, is granted Major *Parker W. West*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 2d Lieutenant *Campbell E. Babcock*, 12th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 253, October 26, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

42. By direction of the President, Captain *Francis B. Har-*

risson, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 31, 1899, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

43. The sick leave of absence heretofore granted Major *Charles T. Lowndes*, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry, is extended seven days on account of sickness.

44. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Alfred S. Orchard*, 201st New York Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation to take effect December 31, 1898, is honorably discharged the service of the United States as of that date.

45. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *C. A. Rawls*, 3d Nebraska Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 183, December 6, 1898, 7th Army Corps, is extended twenty days.

46. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *John H. Yuckley*, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

47. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles A. Jordan*, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

48. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James F. Jenkins*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to the Commanding General, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to temporary duty with the 2d Brigade, 1st Division, of that Corps. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Pay Department are ordered:

Major *John C. Muhlenberg*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from duty in this city and will, as soon as he can close his accounts, proceed to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to Lieutenant Colonel *Tasker H. Bliss*, Chief Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, collector, and by letter to the Commanding General, Division of Cuba, for duty as treasurer of customs of that island;

Major *Culver C. Sniffen*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty as chief paymaster, Department of the Colorado, and will proceed from Denver, Colorado, to this city and report in person to the Paymaster General of the Army for duty as post paymaster in Washington, District of Columbia;

Major *Francis S. Dodge*, paymaster, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty in New York City, New York, and will proceed to Denver, Colorado, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of the Colorado, for duty as chief paymaster of that department;

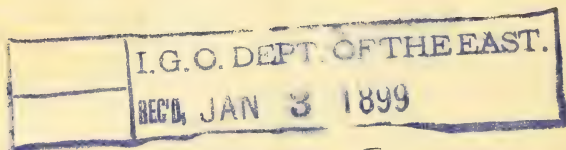
Major *Glen H. Logan*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, having reported to the Paymaster General of the Army for instructions, will proceed from this city to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the chief paymaster at that station, for duty, and by letter to the Commanding General, Division of Cuba;

Major *Jonas M. Cleland*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty in New York City, New York, and will proceed to this city and report in person to the Paymaster General of the Army for duty.

The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 306. } Washington, December 29, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George H. Walton*, Company K, 19th U. S. Infantry, now at Ponce, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank T. Allen*, Battery A, 7th U. S. Artillery, now in the hands of the civil authorities serving sentence of imprisonment, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer, Fort Adams, Rhode Island. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *James Brady* and *George Butterfly*, Battery G, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Warren, Massachusetts;

Private *Sherman A. Whitlaw*, Company L, 22d U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska;

Acting Hospital Steward *George E. Lane*, U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel pay.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George H. Beuglmeyer*, Battery L, 4th U. S. Artillery, now in confinement at Battery Point, Delaware, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of that post, by reason of desertion. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Washington I. Sanborn*, 25th U. S. Infantry, having been examined by a board of officers and found physically disqualified for the

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duties of a Major of Infantry by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement by the President from active service as a Major, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved October 1, 1890, is announced, to date from November 1, 1898, the date he would have been promoted to that grade by reason of seniority, if found qualified. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

6. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Thomas Sharp*, 17th U. S. Infantry, having been examined by a board of officers and found physically disqualified for the duties of a Major of Infantry, by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement by the President from active service as a Major, under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved October 1, 1890, is announced, to date from November 1, 1898, the date he would have been promoted to that grade by reason of seniority if found qualified. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

7. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted Captain *Francis H. Hardie*, 3d U. S. Cavalry.

8. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence, on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain *Charles H. Noble*, 16th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 201, August 26, 1898, from this office, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

9. The leave of absence for twenty days granted Captain *Arthur F. Cosby*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 192, August 26, 1898, from this office, is changed to leave of absence on account of sickness.

10. Under instructions from the President, and in accordance with section 1246, Revised Statutes, an Army retiring board is appointed by the Secretary of War to meet in this city at the War Department, at the earliest date practicable, at the call of the president thereof, for the examination of Captain *Benjamin Munday*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army:

Detail for the board.

Brigadier General *Thaddeus H. Stanton*, Paymaster General, U. S. Army;

Colonel *Fred C. Ainsworth*, Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department;

Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army;

Major *Edward C. Carter*, brigade surgeon, U.S. Volunteers (Captain, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army);

Captain *Edward L. Munson*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army;

Captain *Cornelis De W. Willcox*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 7th U. S. Artillery), recorder.

11. Under instructions from the President, Captain *Benjamin Munday*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Brigadier General *Thaddeus H. Stanton*, Paymaster General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet in this city at the War Department, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board. Upon the completion of his examination, Captain *Munday* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

12. The journey from Atlanta, Georgia, to this city, performed by Major *Glen H. Logan*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, under instructions from the Paymaster General of the Army, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Francis Dubiel*, Company G, 17th U. S. Infantry, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Milton E. Patridge*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Elias Vines*, Company F, and Private *James N. Britton*, Company H, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan,

will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

16 By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 2d Class Private *C. J. Fisher*, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, now supposed to be at Fort Point, Galveston, Texas, is transferred to Fort Myer, Virginia. He will be sent to that post and upon his arrival there will report to Major *G. W. S. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, for duty.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *James F. Cherry*, Ordnance Detachment, now at Sandy Hook Proving Ground, New Jersey, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William M. Simpson*, Troop G, 5th U. S. Cavalry, San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Abner C. McIlrath*, Company I, 14th U. S. Infantry, Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Rudolph Dirks*, Battery B, 5th U. S. Artillery, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John P. McLeod*, Company I, 23d U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home, Franklin, Missouri, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

22. Private *Perley M. Hall*, Company —, 11th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at Natural Bridge, New York, is trans-

ferred to Company H, 9th U. S. Infantry. He will report for duty to the commanding officer of that regiment, Madison Barracks, New York, on or before expiration of furlough.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, 1st Class Private *Ernest Dorner*, Ordnance Detachment, Rock Island Arsenal, Illinois, will be sent to Springfield Armory, Massachusetts, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer there for duty. The expenses of the transfer are to be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

24. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James L. Grant*, Battery B, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

25. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John A. Murphy*, Troop F, 8th U. S. Cavalry, Puerto Principe, Cuba, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

26. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel Wallenstein*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Adams, Rhode Island, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of that post. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

27. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Christian Oehler*, Battery H, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Adams, Rhode Island;

Private *Julius Boehm*, Company K, 8th U. S. Infantry, Havana, Cuba.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

28. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alex. M. S. Hamilton*, now on hospital ship "Missouri," Savannah, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the

United States by Major *W. H. Arthur*, surgeon, U. S. Army, in charge of that vessel. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred S. Armbrust*, Company —, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, Greensburg, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph L. Slack*, Troop K, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward C. Rumer*, Hospital Corps, now at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Joseph E. Hamilton*, Company C, 7th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Wayne, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edward Mooney*, Battery L, 2d U. S. Artillery, now at Savannah, Georgia, having enlisted under false pretences, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

34. Trumpeter *Jacob Maier*, Troop C, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of his regiment will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at

Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Wilhelm E. A. Tobler*, Troop K, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, will be discharged the service of the United States, under paragraphs 145 and 146 of the Regulations, on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Edward C. Holmes*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Elias F. Gordon*, Troop L, 3d U. S. Cavalry, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *Edward N. Cooke*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville Alabama;

Private *Mike Behr*, Battery C, 1st U. S. Artillery, Sullivan's Island, South Carolina.

Sergeant *William J. Kane*, Battery K, 2d U. S. Artillery, Savannah, Georgia;

Private *James O. Erwin*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Privates *Joseph P. Clarkson*, Battery I, and *Richard Scharf*, Battery L, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Privates *William J. Mathes*, Company B, and *Thorwald G. Peterson*, Company I, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Emory W. Snider*, Company B, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Henry H. Hancock*, Company B, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *William A. Blackburn*, Hospital Corps, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Acting Hospital Steward *James H. Black* and Private *Elmer E. Byers*, Hospital Corps, 1st Army Corps, Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Kentucky;

Private *Harry F. Cameron*, Hospital Corps, Presidio of San Francisco, California;

Private *John J. Conzett*, Hospital Corps, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *Booker H. Drinkard*, Hospital Corps, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *Clarence F. Ward*, Hospital Corps, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *Charles E. Caldwell*, Ordnance Detachment, Indianapolis Arsenal, Indiana;

Privates *Walter G. Smith*, Company M, and *Linville L. Adams*, Company E, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas;

Private *Benjamin C. Quick*, Hospital Corps, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Edward J. Brady*, Hospital Corps, U. S. General Hospital, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Acting Hospital Steward *Charles W. Cullen*, Hospital Corps, Ponce, Porto Rico;

Private *Ralph J. Dunn*, Hospital Corps, Fort Wadsworth, Staten Island, New York;

Private *John W. Herwick*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia;

Private *Adelbert M. Irwin*, Hospital Corps, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Thomas, Kentucky;

Private *William O. Jackson*, Hospital Corps, Anniston, Alabama;

Acting Hospital Steward *Fred G. Murray*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, Knoxville, Tennessee;

Acting Hospital Steward *Carlos H. Stickney*, Hospital Corps, U. S. General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *James C. Read*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from this city to New York City, New York, and report in person to Colonel *Charles A. Woodruff*, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence, U. S. Army, purchasing commissary, for duty as an assistant in his office. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

40. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Charles E. C. Peyton*, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Havana, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, 7th Army Corps, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

41. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *John W. Summerhayes*, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will proceed from Bath, Maine, to Boston, Massachusetts, and return, on official business pertaining to the transport service. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

42. By direction of the Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 81, Special Orders, No. 280, November 28, 1898, from this office, as relates to Major *John R. Lynch*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked, and he will remain on duty in the Department of the Gulf until further orders.

43. By direction of the Secretary of War, the medical board appointed by paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 194, August 18, 1898, from this office, will consider the question of the best method of sterilizing water for troops in the field and report the result of its investigations on this subject as soon as practicable.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles G. Carnes*, Company M, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now on sick furlough at Sharpsville, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John M. Buchanan*, Company E, 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now on sick furlough at Nashville, Tennessee, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John T. Sutor*, Company F, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, now at Huntsville, Alabama, is transferred as a 1st class private to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps. He will be directed to report to Lieutenant Colonel *R. P. Strong*, chief signal officer, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama, for duty.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James B. Peat*, Company K, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now on sick furlough at Chicago, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George P. Thornblade*, Company H, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, now in General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *William A. Taylor*, Company H, 1st Wyoming Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel P. Shea*, Company I, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Guanajay, Cuba, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles B. Bivens*, Company D, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Cog Hill, Tennessee, will be discharged

the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John B. Waldrupe*, Company M, 3d Georgia Volunteer Infantry, now at Savannah, Georgia, is transferred to the 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers. He will be sent to the station of that regiment, Macon, Georgia, and report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

53. The following-named enlisted men, now at Boston, Massachusetts, are transferred to the 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *Thomas J. O. Rowe*, Company D; *Michael E. Collevary*, *Walter H. Cownen*, and *Harry C. Ruggles*, Company F, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Americus, Georgia, and directed to report upon arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

54. By direction of the President, paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 293, December 13, 1898, from this office, which honorably discharges Captain *Charles H. McGill*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, from the service of the United States, to take effect December 31, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War to take effect January 13, 1899.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 39, Special Orders, No. 298, December 19, 1898, from this office as relates to Musician *Curtis P. Kitchen*, Company D, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

56. Under instructions from the President, the Secretary of War directs that Brigadier General *Edgar R. Kellogg*, U. S. Volunteers, proceed to Macon, Georgia, and report in person to Major General *James H. Wilson*, U. S. Volunteers, commanding 1st Army Corps, for assignment to a command. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

57. By direction of the President, Captain *William J. Hardee*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War.

58. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *W. J. Duncombe*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect this date.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Edward R. Hutchins*, Company A, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Des Moines, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Charles Rummel*, Company F, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba:

Private *Samuel Jones*, Company G, 9th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Santiago, Cuba.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

61. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Vin. J. Applegate*, Company M, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Red Oak, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

62. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now at Anniston, Alabama, are transferred as 1st class privates to the U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps:

Private *John B. Gillard*, Company A, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry;

Private *W. R. Hurst*, Company A, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to Huntsville, Alabama, and directed to report upon arrival to Lieutenant Colonel *R. P. Strong*, chief signal officer, 4th Army Corps, for duty.

63. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Edwin B. Walters*, Company C, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infan-

try, now on furlough at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

64. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Andrew M. Weedon*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Manzanillo, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

65. The extension of sick leave of absence granted Captain *Daniel U. O'Brien*, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 266, paragraph 31, November 10, 1898, from this office, is further extended eight days on account of sickness.

66. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 35, Special Orders, No. 267, from this office, as pertains to Private *Otto Peterson*, Company G, 2d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is amended to read, "This soldier is entitled to travel pay."

67. The sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William D. McDonald*, Quartermaster, 35th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 182, 2d Army Corps, November 26, 1898, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Morland Carter*, 5th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect January 5, 1899.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Charles D. Palmer*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, now at Chicago, Illinois, is appointed Special Inspector under paragraph 878, Army Regulations, to inspect such unserviceable Quartermaster's property as may be presented to him at that place and for which mustering officers may be responsible.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey is hereby ordered to convene at the War Department, Washington, District of Columbia, at 10 a. m., January 3, 1899, to examine into and report upon the responsibility for the loss

of about 300,000 pounds of refrigerated beef, the property of Swift & Company, of Chicago, to ascertain and report if due and proper effort was made to feed this beef to the troops in Porto Rico, and to fix the responsibility if due and proper effort was not made; to ascertain and report the character and quality of the refrigerated beef herein referred to; to ascertain and report if it was good and fit meat for issue, if it had been subjected to any chemical processes whatever, and to report whether or not the United States is responsible for the loss of the beef, or who, if anyone, is responsible for its loss, and whether in its opinion Swift & Company should or should not be reimbursed for the beef.

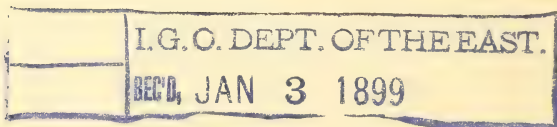
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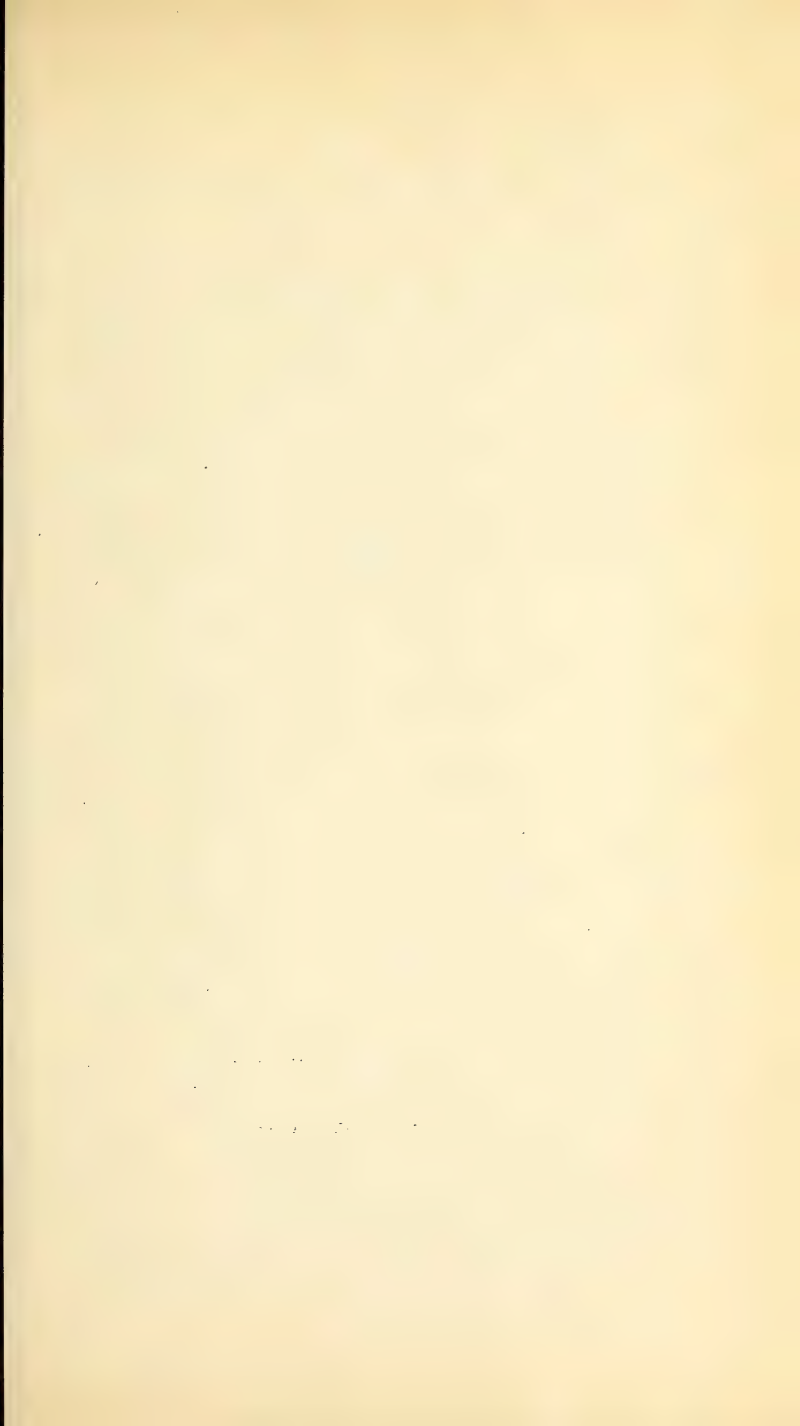
Colonel *Charles H. Alden*, Assistant Surgeon General;
Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General;
Colonel *Francis L. Guenther*, 4th U. S. Artillery;
Captain *L. C. Scherer*, Assistant Adjutant General recorder.

71. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Jeremiah Connelly*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, now supposed to be at Huntsville, Alabama, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.







SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 307. } Washington, December 30, 1898.

1. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Samuel Q. Wells*, Company B, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Graham*, Company B, 13th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, New York, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Oliver C. Weldon*, Company H, 20th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Keralla*, Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Washington, Maryland, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Musician *Leo E. Bullard*, Company G, 5th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort McPherson, Atlanta, Georgia, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the U. S. General Hospital at that post.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *August Johnson*, Company C, 19th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home, 194 Cass avenue, Grand Rapids, Michigan, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer Fort Wayne, Michigan, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

Inspector General

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *George H. Wanton*, Troop M, 10th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *Joseph T. Jay*, Battery E, 3d U. S. Artillery, Fort Mason, California;

Corporal *Guy W. Atherton*, Company E, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *Karl Douglass*, Company D, 9th U. S. Infantry, Madison Barracks, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frank E. Butler*, Company B, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, now at Presidio of San Francisco, California, is transferred to the Hospital Corps as a private. Upon the receipt of this order at the post the commanding officer will order him to report to the surgeon for duty at the hospital.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Arthur Williams*, Troop L, 9th U. S. Cavalry, now at Fort Huachuca, Arizona Territory, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *Theodore Twyman*, Troop A, 2d U. S. Cavalry, now at Huntsville, Alabama, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer of his regiment will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *John Cavanagh*, Company D, Battalion of Engineers, now at Fort Totten, Willets Point, New York, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas,

reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Fort Totten, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier prior to his departure from that post. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Privates *Clarence C. Komp*, Troop F, and *Stanley Espenship*, Troop M, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John C. Kelleher*, Battery E, 6th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Patrick F. Butler*, Company G, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

13. Private *William D. Dudley*, Troop H, 3d U. S. Cavalry, now at Augusta, Georgia, is, upon his own application, transferred to the 6th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 30, Special Orders, No. 257, October 31, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *John B. Ayres, jr.*, Battery K, 6th U. S. Artillery, is revoked.

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Patrick F. Leahy*, Company D, 11th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home, Plymouth, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his company, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Emery H. Smith*, Band, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

17. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Charles C. Codling*, Company K, 10th U. S. Infantry, now at Havana, Cuba, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel pay.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Gordon T. Powell*, Troop D, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Yates, North Dakota;

Private *Thomas E. Goodwin*, Troop B, 5th U. S. Cavalry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Andrew V. Anderson*, Battery B, 5th U. S. Artillery, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Charles N. Beckner*, Company I, 16th U. S. Infantry, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Harry P. Shoemaker*, Company H, 20th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on sick furlough at his home in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier, care J. K. Shoemaker, 1411 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

20. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Henry Ellis*, Hospital Corps, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, near Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of that hospital. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

21. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Harry C. Egbert*, 22d U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, will proceed to join his regiment at Fort Crook, Nebraska. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, Post Chaplain *Henry A. Brown*, U. S. Army (recently appointed), will proceed from Prescott, Arizona Territory, to St. Louis, Missouri, and on his arrival there report by telegraph to the Adjutant General of the Army for assignment to a station.

23. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 94, Special Orders, No. 259, November 2, 1898, from this office, as

relates to Captain *Raymon G. Mendoza*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, is revoked by the Secretary of War.

24. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Raymon G. Mendoza*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, will proceed from New York City to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

25. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 2d Lieutenant *Warren S. Barlow*, 15th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 287, December 6, 1898, from this office, is further extended fifteen days on surgeon's certificate of disability.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *Hollis C. Clark*, Quartermaster, 25th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 247, October 19, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

27. By direction of the President, Major General *Francis V. Greene*, U. S. Volunteers, is honorably discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect February 28, 1899, his services being no longer required. He will proceed to his home. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

General *Greene* will relieve his aids from duty on his staff, and direct them to report by letter to the Adjutant General of the Army.

28. By direction of the President Captain *Frank R. Frost*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service by the Secretary of War, to take effect January 1, 1899.

29. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Charles H. McGinnis, jr.*, Company D, and Corporal *Harry W. Seals*, Company H, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank H. Kotz*, Company I, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Frank Lynch*, Company B, 1st Maryland Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 24, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Leslie Harding*, Company E, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry;

Artificer *Charles B. Janes*, Company B, 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 18, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Quartermaster Sergeant *Florence M. Carter*, Company E, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 3, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *C. W. Harra*, Company D, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 4, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *J. A. Storfer*, Heavy Battery, South Carolina Volunteer Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Joseph E. Marischen*, Company G, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the tele-

graphic instructions of September 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edward G. Boutle*, Company C, 1st Louisiana Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Irving Nichols*, Troop B, 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

36. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Ervaristo V. de Montalvo*, Battery B, Utah Volunteer Light Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Privates *Charles M. Gordon*, Company C; *Minor B. Brown*, Company G, and *Fred L. Watson*, Company M, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Jules J. Toffier*, Company I, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Paul H. Jones*, Company A, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 19, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *David Wylie Travis*, 2d Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 11, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *William H. Shrum*, Company C, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 21, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States without honor, to date September 18, 1898, by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Harvey J. Lewis*, Company L, 3d Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 40, Special Orders, No. 301, December 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge of Sergeant *T. P. Hughes*, Company A, 2d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, is revoked.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *T. P. Hughes*, Company A, 5th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now on furlough at Carrollton, Mississippi, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address given herein. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following named enlisted men of the volunteer service, now at the places designated after their respective names, are hereby discharged the service of the United States, their services being no longer required:

Private *Frank A. Knowles*, Company K, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Rome, New York;

Private *Ernest R. Bingham*, Company I, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Washington, District of Columbia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Corporal *Charles F. Hayes*, Company C, 2d West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 10, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *John Y. West*, Company D, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Calvin H. Stout*, Company F, and Corporal *Lem Sapp*, Company M, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 13, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Timothy J. Morrissey*, Company G, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Corporal *Herbert L. Evans*, Company F, and Private *George W. Lemmon*, Company I, 6th Ohio Volunteer Infantry;

Privates *A. Gilbert Meeker*, Company C, *Herbert L. Overbaugh*, *Frank J. Travers*, Company E, and *Horace Ely Abrahams*, Company I, 3d New Jersey Volunteer Infantry;

Sergeant *Albert C. Allen*, Battery C, Utah Volunteer Light Artillery.

These soldiers are entitled to travel pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 14, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *William F. Kughler*, Company K, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry;

Quartermaster Sergeant *John McComas*, Company A, 8th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

48. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 6, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *John Groschen*, Company M, 2d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

49. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 16, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *George Shelby*, Company M, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

50. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 15, 1898, from this office, di-

recting the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *J. E. Fitzgerald*, Company D, 15th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

51. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Albert Edward Arrott*, Company F, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

52. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 26, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Henry M. Sinnot*, Battery C, Utah Volunteer Light Artillery, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

53. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of September 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *D. L. Strohl*, 15th Company, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

54. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 20, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Reuben Ballinger*, Company G, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

55. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of October 15, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Walker W. Cannon*, Company B, 2d Missouri Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

56. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Gordon Casteel*, Company H, 2d Arkansas Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

57. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the tele-

graphic instructions of December 5, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Albert Bunyen*, Company M, 69th New York Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John C. Hoefling*, Company K, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

58. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 2, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Sergeant *Benjamin V. Sala*, Company G, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

59. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of November 1, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Theodore L. Ofenstein*, Company C, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed.

This soldier will be furnished transportation to New York, New York, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

60. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 22, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Thomas N. Miranda*, Company C, 10th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

61. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence heretofore granted Acting Assistant Surgeon *Henry P. de Forest*, U. S. Army, is extended one month on account of sickness.

62. Leave of absence for two months, to take effect upon the muster out of the 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, is granted Major *Edmund Rice*, 3d U. S. Infantry (Colonel, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry).

63. The leave of absence for four days granted Captain *William F. Tebbetts*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 12, 3d Brigade, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, December 26, 1898, is extended ten days.

64. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Samuel Seay, jr.*, 14th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, is extended one month.

65. The leave of absence granted Captain *Henry P. Kingsbury*, 6th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 172, November 22, 1898, 4th Army Corps, is extended fifteen days.

66. The extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *William V. Johnson*, 13th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 280, paragraph 37, November 28, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

67. The sick leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *William S. Steele*, 3d Connecticut Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 154, 2d Army Corps, October 26, 1898, is extended one month on account of sickness.

68. The leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Benjamin M. Gerardin*, Adjutant, 4th New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 165, 2d Army Corps, November 6, 1898, as amended in Special Orders, No. 211, 2d Army Corps, December 25, 1898, is extended to December 6, 1898, on account of sickness.

69. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Ira MacNutt*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, will make not to exceed six visits from the Bethlehem Iron Works, South Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, to the Carpenter Steel Works, Reading, Pennsylvania, on official business pertaining to the inspection of projectiles in process of manufacture for the Ordnance Department, and on completion of this duty will return to his proper station after each visit. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

70. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *William M. Coulling*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty pertaining to the refitting of U. S. transports, and will report in person to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, General Superintendent of Army Transport Service, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the U. S. transport "Massachusetts," to relieve Captain *Arthur Thompson*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, of those duties. Captain *Thompson*, on being thus relieved, will report to Colonel *Amos S. Kimball*, General Superintendent of Army Transport Service, for assignment

to duty as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the U. S. transport "Hartford."

71. The leave of absence granted 2d Lieutenant *Harry LaT. Cavanaugh*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 110, November 17, 1898, Department of the Colorado, is extended five days.

72. By direction of the Secretary of War, the leave of absence granted Colonel *George H. Burton*, Inspector General, U. S. Army, in Special Orders, No. 251, October 24, 1898, from this office, is extended two months.

73. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Henry P. McCain*, 14th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to San Francisco, California, at the proper time, and join the 22d U. S. Infantry for duty with that regiment until it arrives at the Philippine Islands, and then join his own regiment, the 14th U. S. Infantry. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

74. The leave of absence granted Captain *Walter L. Finley*, 9th U. S. Cavalry, in Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, is extended one day.

75. The leave of absence granted Major *Frank P. Robinson*, surgeon, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, Department of Porto Rico, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

76. The journey performed by Major General *Wesley Merritt*, U. S. Army, from Paris, France, to Washington, District of Columbia, under telegraphic instructions from this office, dated December 4, 1898, is approved by the Secretary of War as having been necessary for the public service.

77. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Charles D. Roberts*, 17th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Ohio and will proceed to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

78. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Willis Uline*, 12th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Missouri, to take effect December 31, 1898, and will proceed to join his company. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

79. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Warren H. Cowles*, 4th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from duty as chief mustering officer for the State of Florida, and will proceed

to join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

80. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Englebert G. Ovenshine*, 16th U. S. Infantry, will assume the duties of chief mustering officer for the State of Florida.

81. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *James P. Griffin*, Troop H, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *William O'Brien*, Light Battery A, 2d U. S. Artillery, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

82. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Acting Hospital Steward *Samuel T. Wallis*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the surgeon in charge of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

83. Private *John A. Smith*, Battery K, 7th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Schuyler, New York, is, upon his own application, transferred to Company H, 7th U. S. Infantry, and will be sent to the station of that company, Fort Wayne, Michigan. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier, and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

84. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John H. Burkholder*, Battery I, 6th U. S. Artillery, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

85. The following transfers in the 2d U. S. Artillery are made, to take effect this date:

Second Lieutenant *Edwin Landon*, from Battery E to Battery A;

Second Lieutenant *Arthur W. Chase*, from battery M to Battery E.

Lieutenant *Landon* will proceed to join the battery to which he is transferred. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

86. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of sick leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Charles O. Brokaw*, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 286, paragraph 25 December 5, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on account of sickness.

87. By direction of the Secretary of War, Private *A. M. Blackford, jr.*, Company C, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, now at the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, will be sent to the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Arkansas, reporting upon his arrival to the commanding officer for treatment in the hospital. The commanding officer, Company C, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, will forward by mail to the commanding officer of the hospital at Hot Springs the descriptive list and account of pay and clothing of the soldier. Unless this soldier is a proper subject for discharge for disability or change of climate, the commanding officer of the hospital will, on conclusion of treatment, send him to his proper station as required by Circular, No. 16, of December 8, 1892, from this office. The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.

88. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *William M. Graham, jr.*, 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 191, 2d Army Corps, December 5, 1898, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

89. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following transfers are made, to take effect this date:

Lieutenant Colonel *Loyd Wheaton*, from the 20th U. S. Infantry to the 2d U. S. Infantry;

Lieutenant Colonel *William S. McCaskey*, from the 2d U. S. Infantry to the 20th U. S. Infantry.

90. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *William M. Wherry*, 17th U. S. Infantry, will proceed to his home and there await orders for the convenience of the Government. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

91. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 14, Special Orders, No. 252, October 25, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges from the service of the United States Captain *James G. Blaine*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers, to take effect December 31, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War to take effect January 31, 1899.

92. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Charles R. Parke*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty with the 3d Brigade, 2d Division, 2d Army Corps.

93. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for two months is granted Major *Charles R. Parke*, brigade surgeon, U. S. Volunteers.

94. By direction of the Secretary of War, Colonel *Charles R. Greenleaf*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army, will proceed from this city to Greenville, South Carolina, and to such other places as may be necessary, on official business pertaining to the inspection of the Medical Department at those places. The officers of the Army at the places to be visited will render every facility necessary to enable Colonel *Greenleaf* to effect the object of his inspections, and he is authorized to hire such wheel transportation as may be necessary in the performance of the duty indicated. On the completion of this duty Colonel *Greenleaf* will return to his proper station. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

95. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men of the volunteer service, now at the places designated after their respective names, are hereby discharged the service of the United States:

Private *George Sanders*, Company B, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Buffalo, New York;

Private *Leonard J. Nosek*, Company B, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Buffalo, New York;

Private *Elmer Woodord*, Company D, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Elmira, New York;

Private *Byron A. Chadwick*, Company K, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, Jamestown, New York;

Private *Francis E. Cook*, Company F, 4th United States Volunteer Infantry, Washington, District of Columbia;

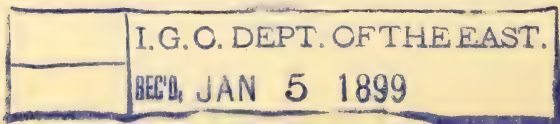
Private *Leonard W. Sargent*, Company G, 4th United States Volunteer Infantry, Spartansburg, Pennsylvania;

Private *James G. Bullock*, Company K, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, Raleigh, North Carolina.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL MILES:

H. C. CORBIN,
Adjutant General.



SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
 } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 308. } *Washington, December 31, 1898.*

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 70, Special Orders, No. 306, December 29, 1898, from this office, is amended to read as follows:

By direction of the Secretary of War, a board of survey is hereby ordered to convene at the War Department, Washington, District of Columbia, at 10 a. m., January 3, 1899, to examine into and report upon the responsibility for the loss of about 300,000 pounds of refrigerated beef, the property of Swift & Company, of Chicago, to ascertain and report if due and proper effort was made to feed this beef to the troops in Porto Rico, and to fix the responsibility if due and proper effort was not made; to ascertain and report the character and quality of the refrigerated beef herein referred to; to ascertain and report if it was good and fit meat for issue, if it had been subjected to any chemical processes whatever, and to report whether or not the United States is responsible for the loss of the beef, or who, if anyone, is responsible for its loss, and whether in its opinion Swift & Company should or should not be reimbursed for the beef.

Detail for the board.

Colonel *James M. Moore*, Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. Army;

Colonel *Dallas Bache*, Assistant Surgeon General, U. S. Army;

Colonel *Francis L. Guenther*, 4th U. S. Artillery;

Captain *Louis C. Scherer*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 4th U. S. Cavalry), recorder.

2. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Second-class Private *John Sutter*, Ordnance Detachment, St. Louis Powder Depot, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Inspector General

Private *Joseph J. Board*, Troop L, 2d U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Privates *George W. Thompson*, Troop C. *Harry Thompson*, Troop D. and *Hugh Lomnitz*, Troop F, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Huntsville, Alabama;

Private *John Steinberg*, Light Battery K, 1st Artillery, Fort Sam Houston, Texas;

Sergeant Major *Jacob Bruck*, 7th U. S. Artillery, Fort Slocum, New York;

Private *Arthur M. Rhoades*, Company C, 3d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Privates *Percy A. Dunn*, Company B, and *Willard E. Dockham*, Company G, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Privates *George T. Oakes*, Company G, and *Charles S. Davis*, Company L 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Privates *Herman Solter*, Band, and *Wilshire F. Brewer*, Company E, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

First Sergeant *Henry Connoles*, Company M, 22d U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska;

Privates *John E. Fertick* and *Seelye M. Hungerford*, Hospital Corps, Josiah Simpson General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia;

Private *John O. Licey*, Hospital Corps, 4th Army Corps, Huntsville, Alabama.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

3. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William S. Greenleaf*, Troop B, 7th U. S. Cavalry, now at Macon, Georgia, will be discharged from the service of the United States on receipt of this order by the commanding officer of his station. Under paragraph 1386 of the Regulations the soldier is not entitled to pay or allowances, and final statements, except for deposits, shall not be furnished him.

4. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George A. Peter*, Hospital Corps, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, Berea, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the chief surgeon, 4th Army Corps, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

5. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Clarence W. Wallace*, Troop G, 1st U. S. Cavalry, Fort Meade, South Dakota;

Private *Clarence L. Mullen*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory;

Private *Benjamin O'Connell*, Troop L, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory;

Private *William Holmes*, Battery K, 5th U. S. Artillery, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Percy H. Bartholomew*, Company K, 1st U. S. Infantry, Havana, Cuba;

Private *James Fowler*, Company A, 3d U. S. Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minnesota;

Private *James Sladek*, Company F, 4th U. S. Infantry, Fort Sheridan, Illinois;

Private *William J. Conlin*, Company A, 7th U. S. Infantry, Fort Wayne, Michigan;

Private *Daniel S. Sowers*, Company M, 11th U. S. Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico;

Private *Jeremiah J. Sullivan*, Company H, 12th U. S. Infantry, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri;

Private *Clarence J. Terflinger*, Company K, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio;

Private *Toon Lewis*, Hospital Corps, 2d Division, 7th Army Corps, Havana, Cuba;

Private *Clyde J. Loomis*, Hospital Corps, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia;

Private *Frederick C. Landsittel*, Hospital Corps, 1st Division, 2d Army Corps, Augusta, Georgia.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

6. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Michael H. Cannon*, Company H, 7th U. S. Infantry, now on furlough at his home in Los Angeles, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier at the address herein given. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

7. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John Hendricks*, Company D, 16th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be on furlough at his home, West Franklin, Indiana, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his regiment, who will forward the discharge papers to the soldier. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

8. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Private *Fred Brant*, Troop D, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory;

Private *William T. S. Puckett*, Company K, 2d U. S. Infantry, Anniston, Alabama;

Private *Stephen A. Yeager*, Company K, 17th U. S. Infantry, Columbus Barracks, Ohio.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

9. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Frederick H. Walters*, Hospital Corps, Company of Instruction, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

10. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *John E. Longnecker*, Hospital Corps, Fort McPherson, Georgia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

11. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *William Pfetzing*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Slocum, New York, is transferred to the 3d U. S. Cavalry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and will upon his arrival there report to the commanding officer for assignment to a troop.

12. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *George Rubenstein*, Hospital Corps, now at Fort Baker, California, is transferred to Vancouver Barracks, Washington. He will be sent to that post and upon his arrival there will

report to the commanding officer for duty. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and transportation will not be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department.

13. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *James J. Lynch, jr.*, Hospital Corps, Company of Instruction, Washington Barracks, District of Columbia, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

14. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 23, Special Orders, No. 242, October 13, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *Charles Potter*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, "1st Brigade, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, Cienfuegos, Cuba."

15. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, paragraph 7, Special Orders, No. 281, November 29, 1898, from this office, in the case of Private *F. H. Sheridan*, Hospital Corps, is amended to read, "1st Brigade, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, Cienfuegos, Cuba."

16. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the following-named enlisted men, now supposed to be at the stations designated after their respective names, will be discharged the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers:

Corporal *Philip J. Towsky*, Troop A, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Riley, Kansas;

Private *Frank S. Wagner*, Troop I, 6th U. S. Cavalry, Fort Sill, Oklahoma Territory;

Private *Edwin C. Forbes*, general service, recruiting station, 25 and 27 North Illinois street, Indianapolis, Indiana;

Private *John W. Kowsky*, Hospital Corps, Fort Slocum, New York.

These soldiers are not entitled to travel-pay.

17. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *Edmund L. Woodside*, 4th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 81, November 16, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

18. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Walter A. Thomas*, unassigned, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

19. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Daniel McCarthy*, Company A, 4th U. S. Infantry, now at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred as 2d class private to the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. He will be sent to Fort Myer, Virginia, and will report for duty upon his arrival there to Major *G. W. Stevens*, U. S. Volunteer Signal Corps.

20. Private *William Schaub*, Company E, 15th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Nuevitas, Cuba, is transferred to the 10th U. S. Infantry. He will be sent to the headquarters of that regiment, Havana, Cuba, and upon his arrival will report to the commanding officer for assignment to a company.

21. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Winthrop C. Kellogg*, Company C, 4th U. S. Infantry, now supposed to be at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, is transferred to the Battalion, U. S. Engineers. He will be sent to the headquarters of that battalion, Willets Point, New York, and upon arrival there will report to the commanding officer for assignment to a company. The expenses of the transfer will be borne by the soldier and the Quartermaster's Department will not furnish transportation.

22. By direction of the Secretary of War, 2d Lieutenant *Malin Craig*, 4th U. S. Cavalry, is transferred to the 6th U. S. Cavalry, Troop G, and will proceed to join the troop to which he is transferred. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

23. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Stephen Welsh*, general service, now at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

24. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 1st Lieutenant *Robert W. Rose*, 17th U. S. Infantry.

25. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Eugene H. Hartnett*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, and Acting Assistant Surgeon *Carl H. Anderson*, U. S. Army, will report in person to the commanding officer, Fort Monroe, Virginia, for duty.

26. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Edward W. Pinkham*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the Josiah Simpson U. S. General Hospital, Fort Monroe, Virginia, and will proceed to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, and report in person to the commanding officer of that post, to accompany the 17th U. S. Infantry to Manila, Philippine Islands. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

27. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James A. Moss*, 24th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 282, November 30, 1898, from this office, is still further extended seven days.

28. The leave of absence heretofore granted Chaplain *Samuel W. Small*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Engineers, is extended twenty days on account of sickness.

29. The following transfers, made by the President, December 24, 1898, are announced by the Secretary of War:

Second Lieutenant *Edward H. Martin*, from the 21st U. S. Infantry to the 5th U. S. Artillery, Battery A, with rank in the Artillery arm from June 22, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Patrick A. Connolly*, from the 5th U. S. Artillery to the 21st U. S. Infantry, Company D, with rank in the Infantry arm from June 22, 1898;

Second Lieutenant *Henry M. Boutelle*, from the 3d U. S. Artillery to the 14th U. S. Infantry, Company A, with rank in the Infantry arm from October 12, 1898.

The officers named will proceed to join the organizations to which they are transferred. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

30. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Privates *Edward F. Erion*, Company E, and *Eby A. Tillery*, Company G, 20th U. S. Infantry, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of their station. These soldiers are not entitled to travel pay.

31. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Bissell Thomas*, Battery I, 3d U. S. Artillery, now at Angel Island, California, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

32. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Thorington C. Chase*, Company M, 14th U. S. Infantry, Manila, Philippine Islands, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

33. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Corporal *Harman E. Newman*, Company B, 22d U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska, will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

34. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, so much of paragraph 42, Special Orders, No. 218, September 15, 1898, from this office, as relates to Private *A. A. Chilcotte*, 15th Company, Volunteer Signal Corps, is revoked.

35. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Sergeant *Charles M. Smith*, Company B, 12th New York Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Matanzas, Cuba, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

36. The following-named enlisted men, now at Boston, Massachusetts, are transferred to the 8th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry:

Privates *Harry A. Tarbell*, Company B; *Fred D. Hastings*, Company C; *Michael J. Kelly, jr.*, Company D; *Edward L. Bragdon*, *Michael H. Foley*, Company E; *Frank Chartier*, *Ardeen Schwartz*, Company F; *John H. Ward*, *Harold L. Young*, Company G; *John H. Nutting*, *Armand V. Secord*, Company H. and *Joseph Dubrey*, Company I, 6th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

They will be sent to the station of that regiment, Americus, Georgia, and will report upon their arrival to the commanding officer for duty.

37. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following-named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Sergeant *Louis A. Dodge*, Company C; Private *Richard F. Dee*, Company E; Sergeant *J. C. Hussy*, and Private *Warren Philips*, Company I, 2d Louisiana Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

38. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Noah E. Jenkins*, Company C, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at San Juan, Porto Rico, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

39. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Irving J. Davis*, Company L, 202d New York Volunteer Infantry, now in confinement at Fort Porter, New York, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

40. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 9, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their respective commanding officers of the following named enlisted men, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *Robert S. Waits*, Privates *Claude D. Blanchette*, *David M. Coffall*, *Antonio Frank*, *James W. Haynes*, *Ethol Shields*, *John D. Traylor*, *Henry V. Weber*, and *Frank Williams*, Company D, and *Louis A. Fort, jr.*, Company M, 3d Texas Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

41. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Private *Alfred H. Redford*, Company F, 4th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, now in confinement at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, will be discharged without honor from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is not entitled to travel-pay.

42. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 28, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge of Private *Verner Lempke*, Company L, 49th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, now in General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, are hereby confirmed. This soldier is entitled to travel-pay.

43. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 27, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their commanding officer of the following-named enlisted men, now in General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, are hereby confirmed:

Corporal *George H. Snyder*, Company A, 9th Illinois Volunteer Infantry;

Private *John B. Gharst*, Company L, 4th Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

44. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, Quartermaster Sergeant *Howard Hipkins*, Company I, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, now supposed to be at Santiago, Cuba, will be discharged from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel-pay to place of enlistment.

45. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station of Private *Charles E. Longstreet*, Company M, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, are hereby confirmed. This soldier will be furnished transportation to the United States, thence travel pay to place of enlistment.

46. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the telegraphic instructions of December 29, 1898, from this office, directing the discharge from the service of the United States by their commanding officer of the following-named enlisted men, now in General Hospital, Fort Myer, Virginia, are hereby confirmed:

Private *Edward K. Salter*, Company B, 1st North Carolina Volunteer Infantry;

Private *Paul Ziegner*, Company L, 2d Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

These soldiers are entitled to travel-pay.

47. By direction of the Assistant Secretary of War, the unexecuted portion of the sentence in the case of Private *Louis R. Dupuy*, Company F, 3d Kentucky Volunteer Infantry; is

remitted, and he will be discharged the service of the United States by the commanding officer of his station. This soldier is entitled to travel pay.

48. By direction of the President, so much of paragraph 59, Special Orders, No. 258, November 1, 1898, from this office, as honorably discharges from the volunteer service of the United States Major *Henry H. Carlton*, Inspector General, U. S. Volunteers, to take effect December 31, 1898, is amended by the Secretary of War to take effect January 31, 1899.

49. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *Samuel M. Waterhouse*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, is relieved from temporary duty at Fort Logan H. Roots Arkansas, and will proceed to Fort McPherson, Georgia, and report in person to the commanding officer of the U. S. General Hospital at that post for duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

50. By direction of the Secretary of War, Lieutenant Colonel *John R. McGinness*, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, is relieved from the command of the St. Louis Powder Depot, St. Louis, Missouri, and will proceed to Manila, Philippine Islands, and report in person to the commanding general of the U. S. forces at that place for assignment to duty as Chief Ordnance Officer under his command, and to such other duties pertaining to the Ordnance Department as he may direct. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

51. By direction of the Secretary of War, 1st Lieutenant *James R. Church*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, recently appointed, will proceed from this city to Santiago, Cuba, and report in person to the Commanding General, Department of Santiago, for assignment to duty. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

52. Under instructions from the President, the Secretary of War suspends paragraph 56, Special Orders, No. 306, December 29, 1898, from this office, relating to Brigadier General *Edgar R. Kellogg*, U. S. Volunteers.

53. By direction of the Secretary of War, paragraph 80, Special Orders, No. 284, December 2, 1898, from this office, is amended so as to direct that Major *Winfield M. Clark*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, on completion of payments therein directed to October 31, 1898, to the several companies of the 16th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, pro-

ceed, accompanied by his authorized clerk and one additional clerk, to such points in Pennsylvania as may be necessary to pay the several companies of that regiment on muster-out of service, and on completion of this duty return to his station in this city. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

54. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *Douglas Settle*, Assistant Adjutant General, U. S. Volunteers (1st Lieutenant, 10th U. S. Infantry), is relieved from duty as assistant mustering officer for the State of Delaware, and will proceed to join his regiment not later than January 15, 1898. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

55. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *John W. Cox*, assistant surgeon, 6th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 36, November 23, 1898, Department of Porto Rico, is extended one month on account of sickness.

56. The leave of absence granted 1st Lieutenant *James S. Smith*, 10th U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 13, December 28, 1898, Headquarters, 3d Brigade, 1st Division, 1st Army Corps, is extended four days.

57. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence granted Major *William Williams*, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. Volunteers, in Special Orders, No. 272, November 17, 1898, from this office, is still further extended two months on account of sickness.

58. Under instructions from the President, the Secretary of War directs that the retiring board appointed by paragraph 10, Special Orders, No. 306, December 29, 1898, from this office, for the examination of Captain *Benjamin Munday*, assistant surgeon, U. S. Army, examine such other officers as may be ordered before it.

59. Under instructions from the President, Post Chaplain *David H. Shields*, U. S. Army, is directed by the Secretary of War to report in person to Brigadier General *Thaddeus H. Stanton*, Paymaster General, U. S. Army, president of the Army retiring board appointed to meet in this city at the War Department, at such time as he may designate, for examination by the board. Upon the completion of his examination, Post Chaplain *Shields* will return to the place of receipt by him of this order. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

60. By direction of the Secretary of War, Acting Assistant Surgeon *Harry Streett*, U. S. Army, is relieved from further duty at the U. S. General Hospital, Ponce, Porto Rico, and will proceed to Baltimore, Maryland, for annulment of his contract. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

61. First Lieutenant *Eli A. Helmick*, Quartermaster, 10th U. S. Infantry, is relieved from further duty at Fort Reno, Oklahoma Territory, and will proceed to Havana, Cuba, and join his regiment. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

62. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Frank M. Hammond*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from further duty on the board of survey, appointed by paragraph 1, Special Orders, No. 297, December 17, 1898, from this office.

63. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *George W. Baird*, paymaster, U. S. Army, will pay the troops at Fort Mott, New Jersey; Fort Delaware, Delaware; Fort McHenry, Maryland; Washington Barracks, District of Columbia; Fort Myer, Sheridan Point, and Fort Monroe, Virginia; Fort Washington, Maryland; Fort Macon and Fort Caswell, North Carolina, to December 31, 1898. Major *Herbert M. Lord*, additional paymaster, U. S. Volunteers, will report to Major *Baird* to assist him in the payments at the above-named stations, and on completion of this duty the officers named will return to their station in this city. Payments will be made in person except at Fort Mott, New Jersey, which will be paid in funds to be shipped by express. The Quartermaster's Department is directed to transfer the necessary funds to such points as the paymasters may indicate. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

64. By direction of the Secretary of War, the extension of leave of absence on account of sickness granted 1st Lieutenant *George H. Jamerson*, 7th U. S. Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 257, October 31, 1898, from this office, is still further extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

65. The leave of absence granted Captain *John D. Twiggs, jr.*, 3d U. S. Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 65, November 1, 1898, Department of Santiago, is extended one month on account of sickness.

66. Under the provisions of section 14 of the act of Congress, approved April 22, 1898, and upon the adverse report of a military board appointed in conformity therewith, 2d Lieutenant *C. W. Gallimore*, 1st West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, is, by direction of the President, discharged the service of the United States by the Secretary of War as of this date, with one month's pay and allowances.

67. Leave of absence for two months on surgeon's certificate of disability is granted 2d Lieutenant *Henry J. West*, 6th Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

68. By direction of the Secretary of War, Major *Thomas Scurry*, 1st Texas Volunteer Infantry, having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged the service of the United States, to take effect January 15, 1899.

69. The leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Jacob M. Kennedy*, 1st Montana Volunteer Infantry, November 14, 1898, Department of the Pacific and 8th Army Corps, is extended one month on account of sickness.

70. The leave of absence for one month on surgeon's certificate of disability granted 1st Lieutenant *Leonard A. Mitchell*, 51st Iowa Volunteer Infantry, in Special Orders, No. 206, Department of California, December 19, 1898, is extended one month on surgeon's certificate of disability.

71. By direction of the Secretary of War, Captain *George S. Cartwright*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers, is relieved from duty with the 4th Army Corps and will proceed at once to Tampa, Florida, and from that place *via* the Plant Steamship Company's steamer to Havana, and thence to Matanzas, Cuba, and report in person to Brigadier General *Joseph P. Sanger*, commanding 2d Brigade, 2d Division, 1st Army Corps, for assignment to duty as Quartermaster of that brigade, to relieve Captain *Walter Allen*, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Volunteers. Captain *Allen*, on being thus relieved, will report by wire to the Quartermaster General of the Army for further instructions. The travel enjoined is necessary for the public service.

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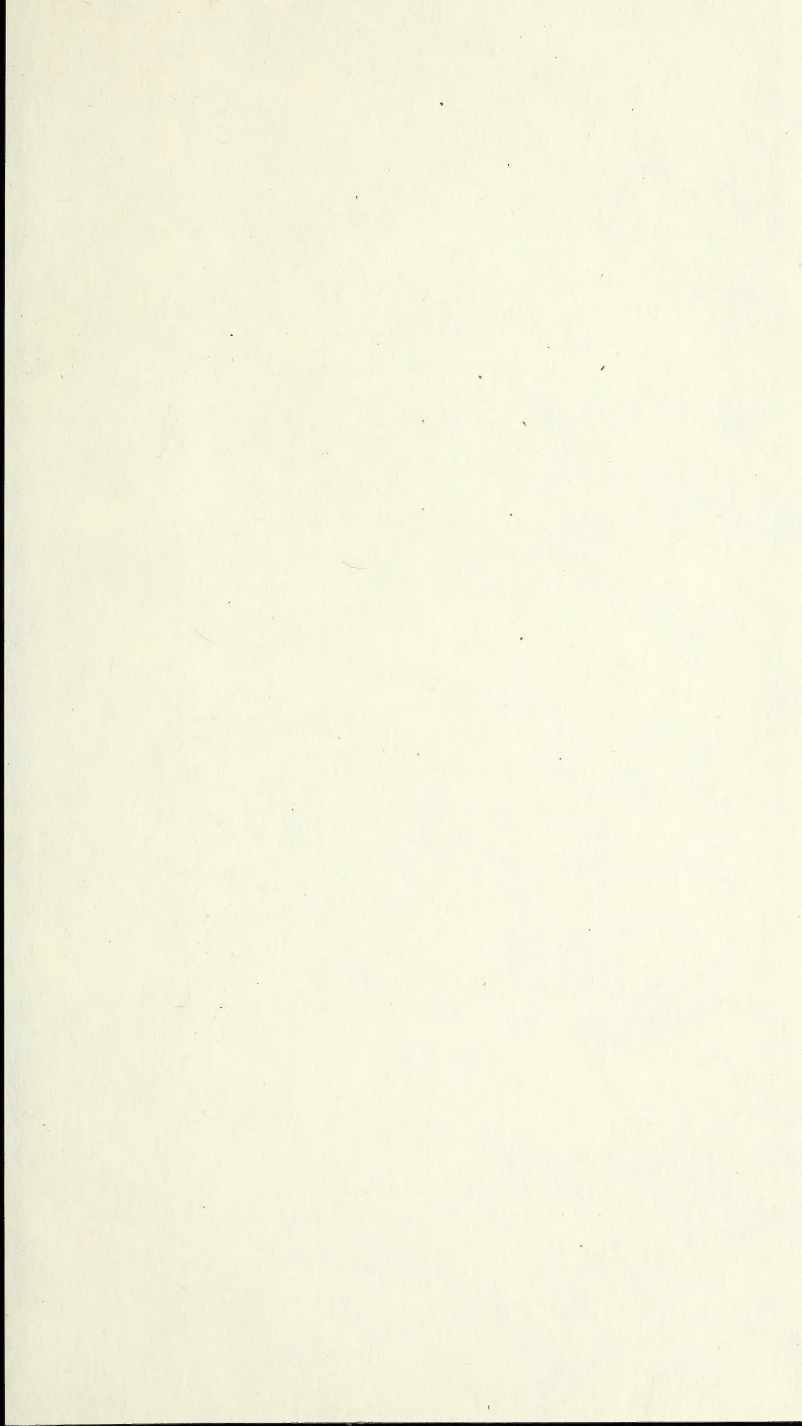


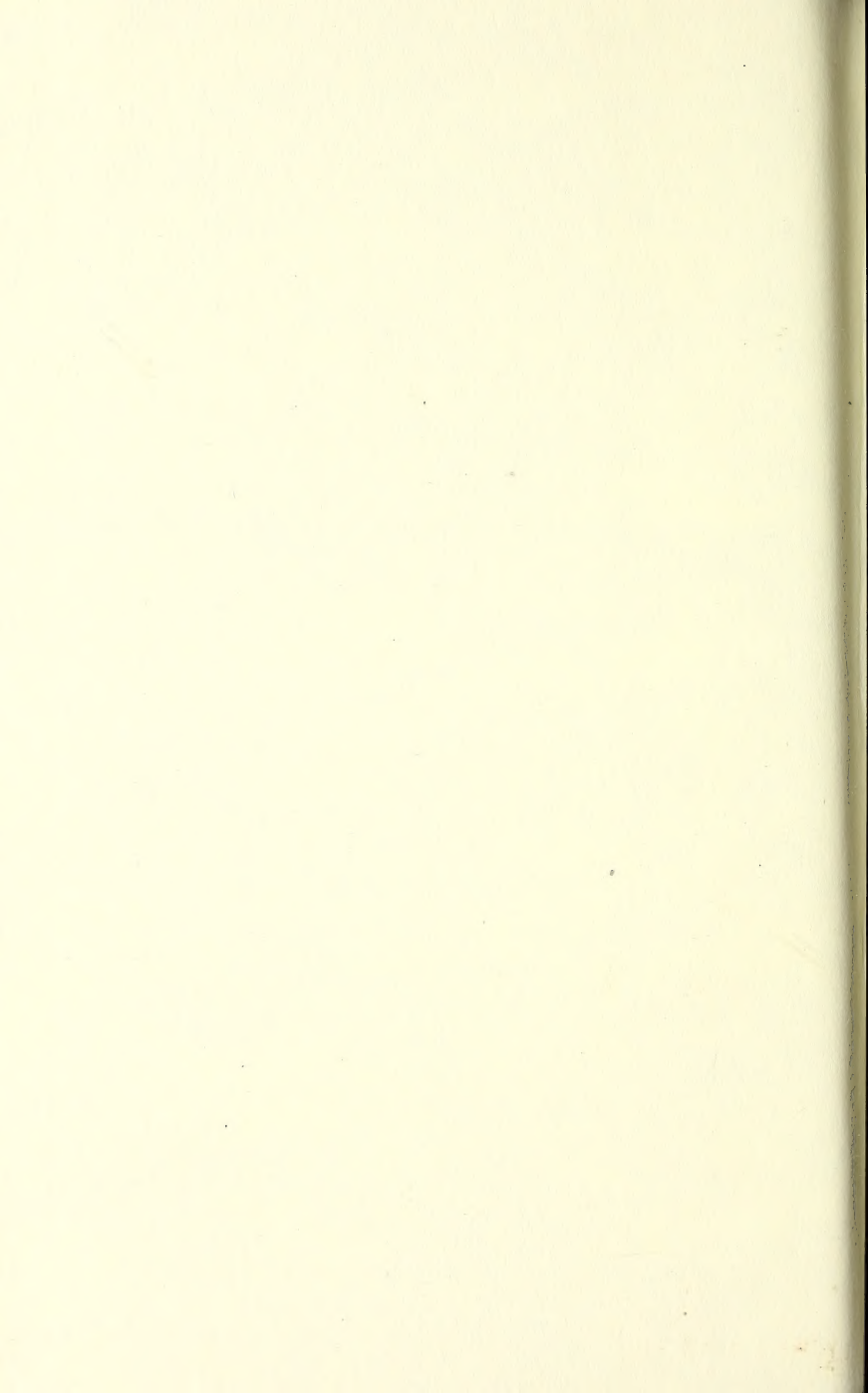












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